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CORRIGENDUM

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1967-68	Forestry	300	<i>should read</i>	278
"	Total, non-rural	..	16,968	"	"	16,853
"	TOTAL PRIMARY	..	30,163	"	"	30,048

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PREFACE

This issue of the Northern Territory Statistical Summary is the tenth of the series introduced by this Bureau in 1960.

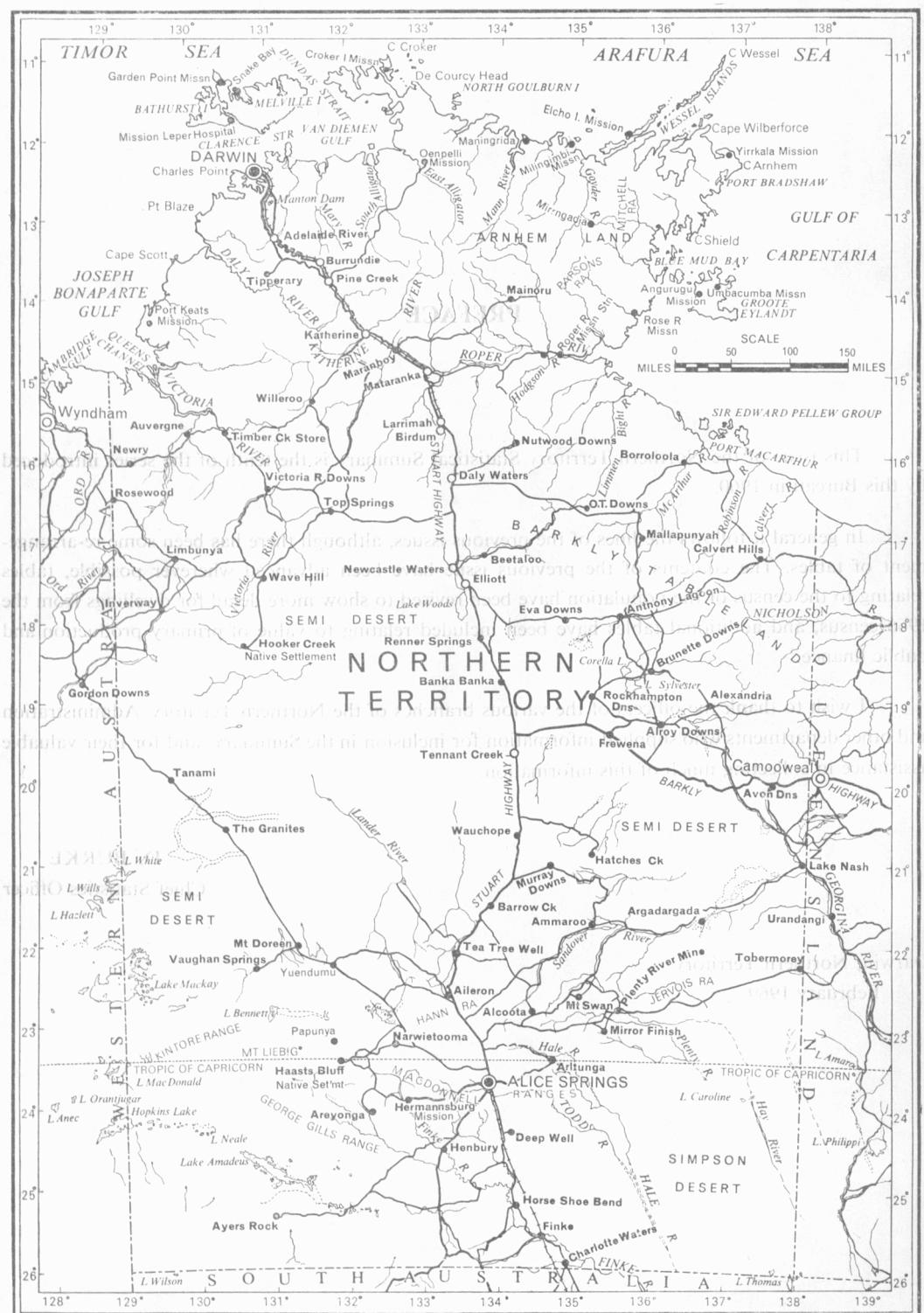
In general it follows the lines of the previous issues, although there has been some re-arrangement of tables. The contents of the previous issue have been advanced wherever possible, tables relating to the census of the population have been revised to show more detail for dwellings from the 1966 census, and additional tables have been included relating to value of primary production and public finance.

I wish to thank the officers of the various branches of the Northern Territory Administration and other departments who supplied information for inclusion in the Summary, and for their valuable assistance in collecting much of this information.

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Darwin, Northern Territory

February 1969.



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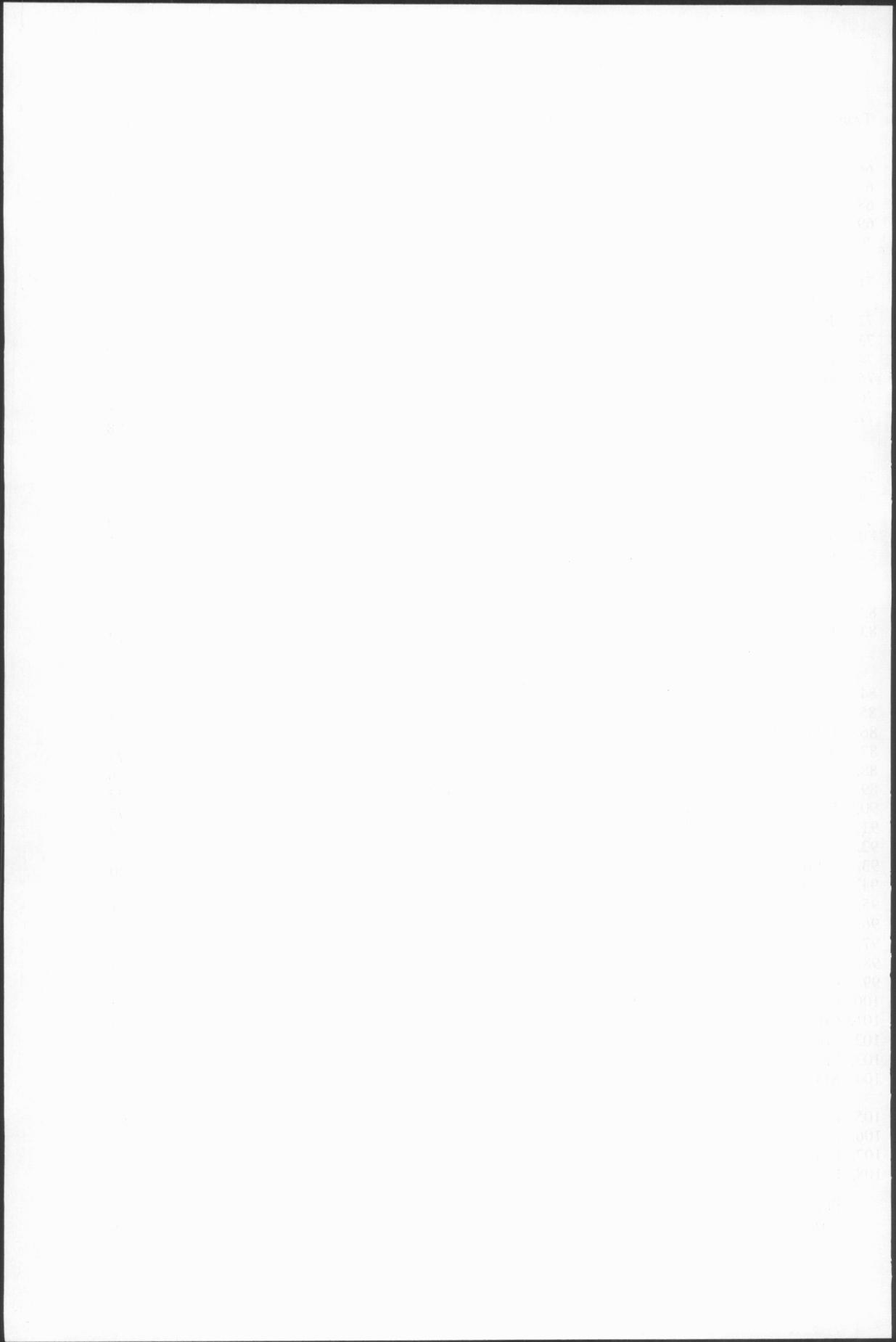
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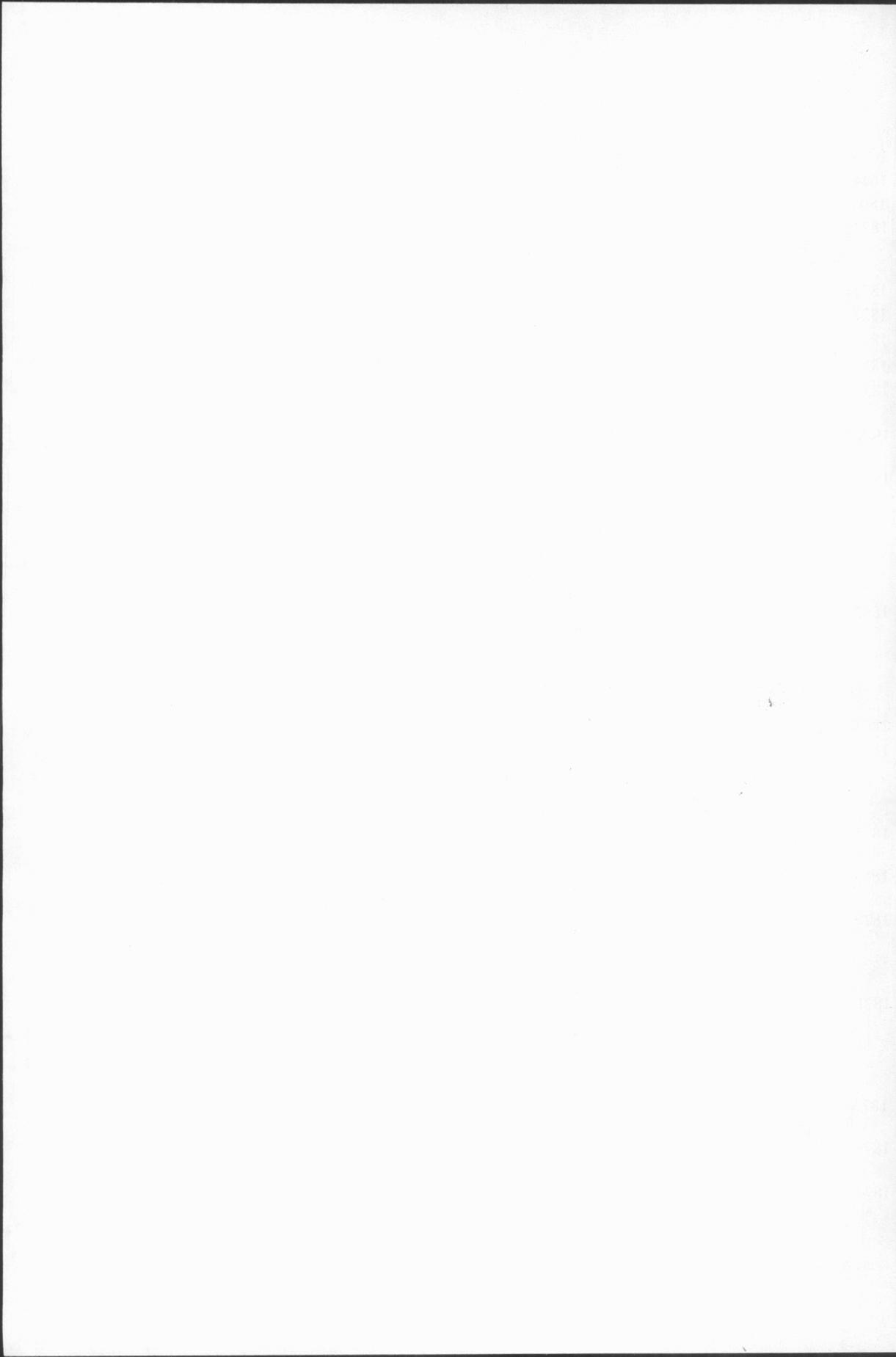
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Yearly periods shown as, e.g., 1968, refer to the year ended 31 December 1968; those shown as, e.g., 1967-68, refer to the year ended 30 June 1968. Other yearly periods are specifically indicated.

Unless otherwise indicated, the British system of weights and measures is used.

Values are shown in Australian \$.

Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in tables are due to rounding.



CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE

PART I—EARLY HISTORY (1623–1862)

1623 First known European contact with coast by the Dutch ship *Arnhem*.

1644 Abel Tasman surveyed the coast of the Gulf of Carpentaria.

1803 Matthew Flinders charted part of the coastline.

1824 Captain J. J. G. Bremer landed at Port Essington and took possession of the northern coast of Australia between 129° and 135° E. longitude. A settlement was established at Fort Dundas.

1825 Northern Territory incorporated in New South Wales.

1827 Raffles Bay settlement established.

1829 Fort Dundas and Raffles Bay settlements abandoned.

1838 Port Essington settlement established.

1839 Commander J. C. Wickham and Lieutenant J. L. Stokes continued the charting of the coastline. Port Darwin and the Adelaide and Victoria Rivers were discovered and surveyed.

1845 The explorer Ludwig Leichhardt reached Port Essington on 17 December 1845, after the first overland journey from Moreton Bay (Brisbane).

1849 Port Essington abandoned.

1855 A. C. Gregory explored the Victoria River, and from there, in the following year, crossed the continent to Port Curtis in Queensland.

1860 John McDouall Stuart, in an attempt to cross the continent from South to North, reached centre of continent and named Central Mount Sturt—subsequently changed to Central Mount Stuart.

1862 Stuart reached Chambers Bay, on the north coast, after a journey from South Australia of nearly nine months.

PART II—UNDER CONTROL OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA (1863–1910)

1863 South Australia secured annexation of Northern Territory by Letters Patent.

1864 Sales of north coast land took place simultaneously in Adelaide and London, the land to be surveyed within five years of purchase. To carry out the survey, Boyle Travers Finniss, the first Government Resident, arrived at Adam Bay at the estuary of the Adelaide River in the *Henry Ellis*. Reports of dissatisfaction reached Adelaide and Finniss was recalled.

1866 J. T. Manton, who had succeeded Finniss, ordered to abandon the settlement and return to Adelaide.

1869 Palmerston (now Darwin) selected as site for the chief town. G. W. Goyder made Government Resident.

1870 Commencement of transcontinental telegraph from Adelaide to Darwin to connect with the cable from Singapore. Inspector Paul Foelsche arrived at Palmerston with five mounted constables to establish a police force. Doctor J. Stokes Millner appointed Acting Government Resident. Captain Bloomfield Douglas subsequently appointed Government Resident.

1871 Redwater disease introduced by the importation of Brahman cattle from Batavia. The gorge later to be known as Heavitree Gap discovered in the MacDonnell Ranges. A nearby grassed plateau containing a pool of water was named Alice Springs. First overseas telegraphic communication made from Australia in message transmitted to London from Darwin by cable.

1872 Transcontinental telegraph line completed and linked with overseas cable. Payable gold struck in the Pine Creek area.

1873 Doctor J. Stokes Millner appointed Acting Government Resident. G. B. Scott subsequently appointed Resident. First newspaper *Northern Territory Times* published.

1874 Recruitment of two hundred Chinese in Singapore to relieve labour shortage marked the beginning of extensive Chinese immigration.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—*continued*

1876 Formation of a Japanese settlement proposed by South Australian Government but plan abandoned before agreement was reached. E. W. Price appointed Government Resident.

1877 First school in Northern Territory opened at Palmerston (now Darwin) with an enrolment of 34 pupils.

1878 Work commenced on the southern end of a proposed transcontinental railway line to follow the route of the overland telegraph.

1880 Large cattle properties established on the Barkly Tableland. Export trade in live cattle established with Eastern countries.

1882 Rich strike of copper at Daly River.

1883 G. R. McMinn appointed Acting Government Resident.

1884 Pearl-shell discovered in quantity in waters of Port Darwin. J. L. Parsons appointed Government Resident.

1886 Work commenced on the Palmerston-Pine Creek railway. Completed in 1889.

1888 Town site of Stuart (now Alice Springs) gazetted.

1890 South Australian Government conferred parliamentary franchise on the Northern Territory by including the Territory in the South Australian electorate of Grey. J. G. Knight appointed Government Resident.

1892 C. J. Dashwood appointed Government Resident. First of the Aboriginal Reserves created.

1897 Entire Northern Territory cattle population quarantined because of redwater disease. Palmerston severely damaged by cyclone.

1901 Establishment of Commonwealth of Australia. Northern Territory, as part of the electorate of Grey, had representation in the Commonwealth Parliament.

1905 C. E. Herbert appointed Government Resident.

1908 First publication of the Northern Territory classic *We of the Never-Never* by Mrs Aeneas Gunn.

1910 S. J. Mitchell appointed Government Resident and later acted as Administrator.

PART III—UNDER CONTROL OF THE COMMONWEALTH (FROM 1911)

1911 The *Northern Territory Acceptance Act* (No. 20 of 1910) provided for the formal transfer of the Northern Territory to the Commonwealth of Australia on 1 January 1911. Under the *Northern Territory Administration Act* the system of administration was changed and an Administrator with a staff of nine senior officials was appointed. All parliamentary franchises revoked. Experimental farms established at Batchelor and Daly River.

1912 J. A. Gilruth appointed Administrator. Founding of the Australian Inland Mission.

1914 Opening of a school at Alice Springs—attendance 25 pupils.

1915 Darwin Town Council created.

1917 Extension of railway from Pine Creek to Katherine.

1918 Serious labour unrest culminated in a mass demonstration against the Administrator.

1919 Arrival at Darwin of Captain (Sir) Ross Smith and Lieutenant (Sir) Keith Smith from England by air. Arrival at Darwin from Melbourne of first plane to cross the continent from south to north. H. E. Carey appointed Director. M. S. C. Smith subsequently appointed Acting Administrator.

1921 Col E. T. Leane appointed Acting Administrator. F. C. Urquhart subsequently appointed Administrator.

1923 Northern Territory granted representation in the House of Representatives (the Member to be allowed to take part in debates but to vote only on a motion for the disallowance of any ordinance of the Northern Territory).

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—*continued*

1926 E. C. Playford appointed Acting Administrator. *North Australia Act* divided the Territory at the 20th parallel of latitude into two sections to be administered in the north by a Government Resident at Darwin and in the south by a Government Resident at Alice Springs.

1927 Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Weddell, Government Resident, North Australia; C. A. Cawood, Government Resident, Central Australia.

1928 Inauguration of the Flying Doctor Service by Australian Inland Mission of the Presbyterian Church of Australia. First base established at Cloncurry, Queensland.

1929 The railway from Darwin to Katherine extended to Birdum and the Oodnadatta–Alice Springs railway completed. V. G. Carrington appointed as Government Resident, Central Australia.

1930 Resignation of Town Council as a body in protest against the Commonwealth proposal to introduce adult suffrage for Municipal elections. Proposal not implemented. Amy Johnson landed at Darwin completing the first flight from England to Australia by a woman pilot.

1931 *North Australia Act* repealed and whole Territory re-united under a single Administrator. Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Weddell appointed Administrator.

1932 Town Council provided first continuous electricity supply in Darwin.

1934 Darwin airport used for first regular air service between England and Australia. Northern Territory Aerial Medical Service established.

1937 Payne-Fletcher Report on Territory development submitted. Electricity first distributed in Alice Springs. Darwin Town Council abolished at its own request, and its work and functions taken over by the Northern Territory Administration. C. L. A. Abbott appointed Administrator.

1939 Darwin Town Management Board formed.

1940 Commencement of Stuart and Barkly Highways—completed in 1943. Water first reticulated in Darwin.

1941 Evacuation of women and children from Darwin following Japanese attack on Pearl Harbour.

1942 Darwin bombed several times by Japanese (first attack 19 February). Military Administration of Darwin. Water first reticulated in Alice Springs.

1945 Resumption of Civil Administration of Darwin.

1946 Commonwealth acquired an area embracing Darwin and environs under the Darwin Lands Acquisition Act in order to facilitate re-planning. L. H. A. Giles appointed Acting Administrator. A. R. Driver subsequently appointed Administrator.

1947 First election of the Northern Territory Legislative Council with power to make ordinances for the peace, order and good government of the Territory. The Council to consist of the Administrator, 7 official members and 6 elected members. A new Darwin Town Management Board established to advise the Administrator on matters relating to the control, management, government and welfare of the town.

1949 Uranium discovered at Rum Jungle.

1951 Alice Springs School of the Air opened. Settlement of Darwin Town Plan leading to issue of firm leases to business people, etc. Death of John Flynn (Flynn of the Inland). F. J. S. Wise appointed Administrator.

1952 Aerial survey of the entire Territory commenced by Bureau of Mineral Resources.

1953 Bill introduced into the Northern Territory Legislative Council to give citizenship rights to certain Aboriginals. Working and management of Rum Jungle handed over by Commonwealth to private company.

1954 Mrs Vladimir Petrov of the Soviet Embassy granted political asylum after incident at Darwin Airport. Rum Jungle uranium treatment plant officially opened by the Prime Minister.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—*continued*

1955 Commonwealth agreement to limited Japanese pearl fleet operations in Northern Australian waters. Opening of Legislative Council building. Local Government Ordinance passed by Legislative Council.

1956 Visit of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh. J. C. Archer appointed Administrator.

1957 Municipality of Darwin created. Mayor and 12 Councillors elected by people of Darwin.

1958 Elected members of the Legislative Council resigned in a body as a protest against government control of the Council. In the subsequent election, all members were returned.

1959 Member for Northern Territory in Federal Parliament given limited voting rights on matters relating solely to the Territory. Darwin proclaimed a city. Death of noted Aboriginal artist Albert Namatjira. Legislation passed to alter the composition of the Legislative Council to the Administrator as President, 6 nominated official members, 3 non-official nominated members and 8 elected members.

1960 Forster Committee Report on Agriculture in the Northern Territory presented.

1961 The Hon. R. B. Nott appointed Administrator.

1962 Legislative Council prepared a list of grievances, in the form of a Remonstrance, addressed to the two Houses of the Federal Parliament. The President and Speaker acknowledged receipt of the Remonstrance and made copies available to members, but no action was taken on a Petition presented by the Federal Member for the Northern Territory that the Parliament debate the grievances.

Amendments to the Northern Territory Electoral Regulations extended the franchise to all adult Aboriginal natives of Australia in the Northern Territory.

1963 Visit of Her Majesty the Queen and His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh. Water first reticulated in Tennant Creek. Export abattoirs opened at Darwin and Katherine. Darwin High School opened.

1964 R. L. Dean appointed Administrator. Delegation from Legislative Council to members of Federal Cabinet seeking political advancement for Northern Territory. Social welfare legislation removing discriminatory provisions against Aborigines passed by Legislative Council and brought into operation. Reticulated electricity supplies commenced to Elliott and Pine Creek. Leaving honours classes commenced at Darwin High School.

1965 Legislation passed to provide for elected or non-official nominated member to replace Administrator as President of the Legislative Council. Open-cut mining of manganese commenced at Groote Eylandt. Main mining lease for development of bauxite deposits at Gove allocated. Mr Harry Chan became first elected President of the Legislative Council.

1966 Shipment of manganese ore from Groote Eylandt to Bell Bay, Tasmania, commenced. Good rains ended the eight year central Australian drought. Mt Bunyey iron ore project announced and mining of iron ore commenced at Frances Creek. First major aerial agriculture trials were outstandingly successful.

1967 The year opened with the most widespread rains in eighty years of record. They resulted in the best pastoral conditions in memory and these in turn led to major bushfires late in the year. The first bulk iron ore shipments were made from Frances Creek through Darwin to Japan. Primary industries saw the start of large scale sorghum production at Tipperary, growth of interest in prawning, and steps towards a major wood-chip industry.

1968 Member for Northern Territory in Federal Parliament given full voting rights. Legislation passed to alter the composition of the Legislative Council to 11 elected and 6 nominated official members.

LIST OF REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS

(At 1 January 1969)

MINISTER FOR THE INTERIOR The Hon. P. J. Nixon, M.P.

MEMBER FOR THE NORTHERN TERRITORY IN THE HOUSE

OF REPRESENTATIVES S. E. Calder, D.F.C., M.P.

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY .. R. L. Dean, C.B.E.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FOR THE NORTHERN TERRITORY—

President Vacant

Members—Elected T. Bell (McMillan)
H. Brennan (Victoria River)
H. Chan (Fannie Bay)
F. W. Drysdale (Nightcliff)
R. Kentish (Arnhem)
A. G. W. Greatorex (Stuart)
B. Kilgariff (Alice Springs)
E. L. Marks (Barkly)
L. McFarlane (Elsey)
R. Ward (Ludmilla)
R. J. Withnall (Port Darwin)

Official C. F. Adams (Director of Mines and Water Resources)

M. R. Finger (Assistant Administrator)
H. C. Giese, M.B.E. (Director of Welfare)
Dr G. A. Letts (Director of Primary Industries)
H. T. Plant (Director of Local Government and Community Services)
J. B. K. Williams (Crown Law Officer)

Clerk of the Council F. H. Walker

THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

The Hon. Mr Justice R. A. Blackburn
The Hon. Mr Justice E. A. Dunphy
The Hon. Mr Justice P. E. Joske
The Hon. Mr Justice R. A. Smithers

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF DARWIN—

Mayor Ald. H. Chan, M.L.C.

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Ald. Lillian M. Dean
Ald. W. F. Mitchell
Ald. M. J. Oakley
Ald. G. K. Slide
Ald. K. C. Waters

Town Clerk W. J. Sullivan

Deputy Town Clerk T. Abbott

City Engineer W. L. T. E. Emmerson

Director of Parks and Gardens B. W. Edwards

COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES

AIR Group-Captain A. E. Mather, D.F.C., A.F.C.

ARMY Lieutenant-Colonel P. J. Norton

LIST OF REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS—*continued*

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S—

<i>Crown Law Officer</i>	..	..	J. B. K. Williams, M.L.C.
<i>Stipendiary Magistrates—Darwin</i>	..	..	H. Leader
		<i>Alice Springs</i>	G. F. Hall
<i>Principal Legal Officers</i>	..	..	D. C. Mitchell
			F. H. Williamson
			P. D. Massie

<i>Master Supreme Court, Registrar-General for Northern Territory, Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages, Registrar of Companies</i>	..	F. R. A. Elvidge
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AUSTRALIAN BROADCASTING COMMISSION .. D. R. Sanders

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL AIRLINES COMMISSION (Operating as T.A.A.)—

<i>Manager, South Australia and Northern Territory</i>	R. M. Rechner, C.B.E., D.F.C. (Adelaide)
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<i>Alice Springs</i>	J. D. Bannister

AUSTRALIAN STEVEDORING INDUSTRY AUTHORITY .. D. R. Owens

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<i>Alice Springs</i>	K. J. McColl
<i>Katherine</i>	D. J. Middlemis
<i>Daly Waters</i>	G. Haese
<i>Tennant Creek</i>	A. Ackermann

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<i>Officer-in-charge—Katherine</i>	L. J. Phillips

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<i>Director (Northern Territory Office)</i>	..	E. Jones

HEALTH—

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<i>Assistant Director (Medical Service)</i>	Vacant
<i>Assistant Director (Public Health)</i>	Dr B. L. Kirkup
<i>Assistant Director (Tuberculosis)</i>	Vacant

LIST OF REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS—*continued*

<i>Assistant Director Medical Service and Public Health—Southern</i>	..	..	..	Dr N. D. Vawser
<i>Assistant Director (Administration)</i>	..	..	..	H. C. Harrison
IMMIGRATION	..	..	..	L. Liveris
INTERIOR—				
<i>Commonwealth Bureau of Meteorology—</i>				
<i>Regional Director</i>	..	..	..	R. L. Southern
<i>Darwin Airport</i>	..	..	..	V. P. J. O'Brien
<i>Alice Springs Airport</i>	..	..	..	W. T. P. Smith
<i>Commonwealth Electoral Office Returning Officer</i>				R. H. McPherson
<i>Northern Territory Administration—</i>				
<i>Administrator</i>	..	..	..	R. L. Dean, C.B.E.
<i>Assistant Administrator—Administration, Services and Finance</i>	..	..	..	E. F. Dwyer
<i>Assistant Administrator—Economic and Social Affairs</i>	..	..	..	M. R. Finger, M.L.C.
<i>Administrative Branch</i>	..	..	..	A. A. Shakespeare
<i>Finance Branch</i>	..	..	..	J. J. Ravenscroft
<i>Forestry Branch</i>	..	..	..	R. W. Evans
<i>Local Government and Community Services Branch</i>	H. T. Plant, M.L.C.
<i>Lands and Survey Branch</i>	V. T. O'Brien
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<i>Police Branch</i>	W. J. McLaren
<i>Primary Industries Branch</i>			..	Dr G. A. Letts, M.L.C.
<i>Stores Branch</i>	O. J. Cameron
<i>Special Projects</i>	K. J. Cosgrove
<i>Transport Branch</i>	Vacant
<i>Welfare Branch</i>	H. C. Giese, M.B.E., M.L.C.
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<i>District Office, Tennant Creek</i>			..	A. G. O'Shea
<i>District Office, Katherine</i>			..	E. O. Harvey
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<i>Director, South Australia and Northern Territory</i>				W. F. Sharpe
<i>Darwin</i>	R. G. Twigg
<i>Alice Springs</i>	..	..	..	M. J. Williams
NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT—				
<i>Bureau of Mineral Resources</i>	C. E. Prichard
<i>Forestry and Timber Bureau</i>	R. W. Evans
NAVY	Captain B. N. Cleary, R.A.N.
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<i>Chairman</i>	D. P. Lampe
NORTHERN TERRITORY HOUSING COMMISSION—				
<i>Manager</i>	C. H. A. Figg

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<i>Chairman</i>	Captain T. Milner
<i>Executive Member</i>	Captain B. L. Noble

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<i>Chairman</i>	A. L. Rose, O.B.E., E.D.
<i>Executive Officer</i>	W. T. Hare

NORTHERN TERRITORY TOURIST BOARD—

<i>Chairman</i>	H. Brennan, M.L.C.
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<i>Postmaster—Darwin</i>	K. R. Smith
<i>Alice Springs</i>	S. D. Johnston

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<i>Public Service Board</i>	S. J. Haupt

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Marine Services Branch (Lighthouses)—

Regional Controller—

<i>Western Australia and Northern Territory</i>	Captain R. R. F. Elliott (Fremantle)
<i>Darwin</i>	R. V. Hodel

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<i>Director, South Australia</i>	A. R. Kopp, D.F.C.
<i>Regional Registrar</i>	N. Castley

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<i>Sub-Treasury</i>	W. J. F. Hull
<i>Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics</i>	D. Burke
<i>Taxation Branch</i>	R. A. Gill
<i>Government Printer</i>	C. Lowes

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<i>Director</i>	L. G. Redmond
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<i>Assistant Director (Construction)</i>	R. H. Kennedy

ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968

ORDINANCES

No.	TITLE
1.	Ports Ordinance (No. 2) 1967
2.	Business Names Ordinance 1968
3.	Companies Ordinance 1968
4.	Explosives Ordinance 1968
5.	Food and Drugs Ordinance 1968
6.	Housing Ordinance 1968
7.	Local Government Ordinance 1968
8.	Stamp Ordinance 1968
9.	Wildlife Conservation and Control Ordinance 1968
10.	Workmens Compensation Ordinance 1968
11.	Poisons Ordinance 1968
12.	Petroleum (Prospecting and Mining) Ordinance 1968
13.	Darwin Town Area Leases Ordinance 1968
14.	Motor Vehicles Ordinance 1968
15.	Mining (Gove Peninsula Nabalco Agreement) Ordinance 1968
16.	Lottery and Gaming Ordinance 1968
17.	Mental Defectives Ordinance 1968
18.	Museums and Art Galleries Ordinance 1968
19.	Workmen's Compensation Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
20.	Adoption of Children Ordinance 1968*
21.	Criminal Law Consolidation Ordinance 1968
22.	Interpretation Ordinance 1968
23.	Agricultural Development Leases Ordinance 1968
24.	Freehold Titles Ordinance 1968
25.	Control of Roads Ordinance 1968
26.	Town Planning Ordinance 1968
27.	Valuation of Land Ordinance 1968
28.	Encouragement of Primary Production Ordinance 1968
29.	Stamp Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
30.	Veterinary Surgeons Ordinance 1968
31.	Wildlife Conservation and Control Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
32.	Bush Fires Control Ordinance 1968
33.	Control of Waters Ordinance 1968
34.	Water Supplies Development Ordinance 1968
35.	Validation of Acts (Powers and Functions) Ordinance 1968
36.	Indictments Ordinance 1968
37.	Dingo Destruction Ordinance 1968
38.	Registration of Dogs Ordinance 1968
39.	Police and Police Offences Ordinance 1968
40.	Tennant Creek Town Management Ordinance 1968
41.	Traffic Ordinance 1968
42.	Traffic Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
43.	Public Service Ordinance 1968
44.	National Parks and Gardens Ordinance 1968
45.	Landlord and Tenant (Control of Rents) Ordinance 1968
46.	Public Service Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
47.	Motor Vehicles Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
48.	Special Purposes Leases Ordinance 1968
49.	Prisons Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
50.	Crown Lands Ordinance 1968
51.	Crown Lands Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
52.	Validation of Acts Ordinance 1968

* Ordinance not commenced at 31 December 1968,

ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968—*continued*

ORDINANCES—*continued*

No.	TITLE
53.	Waterworks Acts Repeal Ordinance 1968
54.	Freehold Titles Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
55.	Control of Waters Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
56.	Interpretation Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
57.	Treason (Repeal of Imperial Acts and State Acts) Ordinance 1968
58.	Architects Ordinance 1968
59.	Local Government Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
60.	Local Government Ordinance (No. 3) 1968
61.	Firearms Ordinance 1968
62.	Lottery and Gaming Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
63.	Stock Diseases Ordinance 1968
64.	Water Supplies Development Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
65.	Prisons Ordinance (No. 3) 1968
66.	Abattoir and Slaughtering Ordinance 1968
67.	Criminal Law Consolidation Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
68.	Local Government Ordinance (No. 4) 1968
69.	Traffic Ordinance (No. 3) 1968
70.	Valuation of Land Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
71.	Police and Police Offences Ordinance (No. 3) 1968
72.	Fire-arms Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
73.	Crown Lands (Pastoral Lessees Preference) Ordinance 1968
74.	Darwin Town Area Leases Ordinance (No. 2) 1968
75.	Special Purposes Leases Ordinance (No. 2) 1968

ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968—*continued*

REGULATIONS

NO.	TITLE
1.	National Parks and Gardens (Admission Fees Repeal) By-laws
2.	National Parks and Gardens (Admission Fees) By-laws
3.	Cemeteries Regulations
4.	Fisheries Regulations
5.	Foods and Drugs (Waste Liquor) Regulations
6.	Public Service Regulations
7.	Public Service Regulations
8.	Freehold Titles Regulations
9.	Lottery and Gaming Regulations
0.	Business Names Regulations
1.	Traffic Regulations
2.	Crown Lands Regulations
3.	Municipality of Darwin By-laws
4.	Forestry Regulations
5.	Encouragement of Primary Production Regulations
6.	Sewerage Regulations
7.	Small Craft By-laws
8.	National Parks and Gardens (General) By-laws
9.	National Parks and Gardens (Alice Springs Telegraph Station National Park) By-laws
0.	National Parks and Gardens (Ayers Rock-Mount Olga National Park) By-laws
1.	National Parks and Gardens (Berry Springs Recreation Reserve) By-laws
2.	National Parks and Gardens (Daly River Recreation Reserve) By-laws
3.	National Parks and Gardens (Devil's Marbles Reserve) By-laws
4.	National Parks and Gardens (Ellery Creek Big Hole) By-laws
5.	National Parks and Gardens (Emily and Jessie Gaps Scenic Reserve) By-laws
6.	National Parks and Gardens (Finke Gorge National Park) By-laws
7.	National Parks and Gardens (Glen Helen Gorge National Park) By-laws
8.	National Parks and Gardens (Howard Springs Recreation Reserve) By-laws
9.	National Parks and Gardens (Katherine Gorge National Park) By-laws
0.	National Parks and Gardens (Katherine Low Level Reserve) By-laws
1.	National Parks and Gardens (Katherine Sixteen Mile Caves Reserve) By-laws
2.	National Parks and Gardens (Mataranka Pool Reserve) By-laws
3.	National Parks and Gardens (Ormiston Gorge and Pound Scenic Reserve) By-laws
4.	National Parks and Gardens (Serpentine Gorge) By-laws
5.	National Parks and Gardens (Simpson's Gap National Park) By-laws
6.	National Parks and Gardens (Trephma Gorge Scenic Reserve) By-laws
7.	Fire-arms Regulations
8.	Forestry Regulations
9.	Public Service Regulations

TABLE 1.—ESTIMATED POPULATION: NORTHERN TERRITORY AND DARWIN, 1911 TO 1968

30 June—	Northern Territory				Darwin (b) Persons
	Males	Females	Persons	Rate of growth % (a)	
1911	2,738	595	3,333	-2.06	(c)958
1916	3,791	961	4,752	8.82	(d)
1921	2,856	1,076	3,932	-3.41	(e)1,399
1926	2,977	976	3,953	0.97	(d)
1928	3,435	1,064	4,499	0.49	(d)
1929	3,368	1,092	4,460	-0.87	(d)
1930	3,695	1,404	5,099	14.33	(d)
1931	3,568	1,452	5,020	-1.55	(d)
1932	3,462	1,449	4,911	-2.17	(d)
1933(f)	3,378	1,472	4,850	-1.24	1,566
1934	3,421	1,506	4,927	1.59	(d)
1935	3,502	1,641	5,143	4.38	(d)
1936	3,598	1,763	5,361	4.24	(d)
1937	3,705	1,815	5,520	2.97	(d)
1938	3,924	1,924	5,848	5.94	(d)
1939	4,252	2,029	6,281	7.40	(d)
1940	5,670	2,345	8,015	27.61	(d)
1941	7,323	2,755	10,078	25.74	(d)
1942	6,882	2,183	9,065	-10.05	(d)
1943	7,226	3,160	10,386	14.57	(d)
1944	7,224	3,212	10,436	0.48	(d)
1945	7,248	3,270	10,518	0.79	(d)
1946	7,230	3,332	10,562	0.42	(d)
1947(f)	7,378	3,490	10,868	2.90	(b)5,208
1948	8,122	4,132	12,254	12.75	(d)
1949	8,728	4,663	13,391	9.28	(d)
1950	9,547	5,145	14,692	9.72	(d)
1951	10,073	5,536	15,609	6.24	(d)
1952	9,973	5,491	15,464	0.93	(d)
1953	10,101	5,752	15,853	2.52	(d)
1954(f)	10,288	6,181	16,469	3.89	8,071
1955	11,431	6,779	18,210	10.57	9,065
1956	12,021	7,535	19,556	7.39	9,888
1957	12,675	8,386	21,061	7.70	10,813
1958	13,163	8,934	22,097	4.92	11,517
1959	14,291	9,798	24,089	9.01	12,743
1960	15,221	10,352	25,573	6.16	13,728
1961(f)	(g)25,052	(g)19,429	(g)44,481	(h)5.95	15,477
1962	25,845	20,159	46,004	3.42	16,152
1963	27,099	21,362	48,461	5.34	17,383
1964	28,595	22,868	51,463	6.19	(i)18,554
1965	29,818	24,040	53,858	4.65	20,466
1966(f)	31,159	25,345	56,504	4.91	21,671
1967	32,531	26,798	59,329	5.00	23,619
1968	34,108	28,416	62,524	5.39	26,814

(a) Total increase in population during the year ended 30 June expressed as a proportion (per cent) of the population at the end of the previous year ended 30 June. (b) The figures from 1947 onwards relate to the proposed Greater Darwin Area. (c) Population at Census, 3 April 1911. (d) No satisfactory estimate available. (e) Population at Census, 4 April 1921. (f) Census. (g) Includes an estimate for full-blood Aborigines out of contact at the Census. (h) Based on an estimate of the population at 30 June 1961 excluding full-blood Aborigines. (i) Population Count.

NOTE. Figures before 1961 exclude particulars of full-blood Aborigines as required by Section 127 of the Constitution prior to its repeal in 1967. The difference between the figures shown above for 1961 and 1966 and the corresponding figures shown in Tables 4 to 22 following, which exclude full-blood Aborigines, cannot be taken as reliable statistics of the Aboriginal population.

TABLE 2.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1911 TO 1968

Year	Births(a)	Deaths(a)	Marriages(a)	Divorces(b)
1911	31	65	10	..
1916	74	122	19	1
1919	106	85	25	..
1920	63	63	17	..
1921	79	80	15	..
1922	70	60	13	..
1923	72	38	7	..
1924	57	44	17	..
1925	65	62	20	..
1926	73	64	14	..
1927	68	76	26	..
1928	83	71	23	..
1929	53	65	20	1
1930	71	77	31	..
1931	72	70	25	1
1932	79	73	22	..
1933	74	61	28	1
1934	88	60	30	1
1935	84	70	42	..
1936	113	60	41	2
1937	99	63	69	4
1938	102	69	67	4
1939	138	88	85	4
1940	173	86	154	2
1941	216	122	179	8
1942	92	83	53	4
1943	80	49	46	..
1944	89	31	31	3
1945	90	35	48	4
1946	132	55	63	4
1947	276	65	124	6
1948	280	73	110	3
1949	346	92	130	12
1950	411	96	144	6
1951	407	117	143	13
1952	448	89	137	6
1953	460	116	154	12
1954	513	106	143	20
1955	515	119	151	18
1956	556	107	160	25
1957	646	115	178	18
1958	697	106	201	16
1959	796	124	205	14
1960	777	134	208	6
1961	878	128	207	23
1962	924	144	243	38
1963	859	161	260	38
1964	911	164	233	31
1965	914	161	296	41
1966	972	154	312	58
1967	1,921	527	325	20
1968	2,084	543	419	23

(a) Numbers registered during the year. Excludes particulars of full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967. (b) Total number of decrees of dissolution, nullity of marriage and judicial separations.

TABLE 3.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Births(a)—						P
Males—						
Nuptial	434	406	410	874	897	
Ex-nuptial	42	48	75	135	153	
Total	476	454	485	1,009	1,050	
Females—						
Nuptial	374	407	427	788	874	
Ex-nuptial	61	53	60	124	160	
Total	435	460	487	912	1,034	
Total births	911	914	972	1,921	2,084	
Crude birth rate(b)	27.6	25.8	25.9	32.3	33.3	
Deaths(a)—						
Males	117	125	114	312	316	
Females	47	36	40	215	227	
Total deaths	164	161	154	527	543	
Crude death rate(b)	5.0	4.6	4.1	8.9	8.7	
Marriages(a)—Number	233	296	312	325	419	
Crude marriage rate(b)	7.0	8.4	8.3	5.5	6.7	
Divorces(c)—Number	31	41	58	20	23	
Infant deaths(a)(d)—						
Early neo-natal—						
Under one day	16	7	8	23	29	
One day and under one week	7	7	2	25	15	
Late neo-natal—						
One week and under four weeks .. ..	..	1	1	11	7	
Post neo-natal—						
Four weeks and under one year	7	8	8	63	50	
Total under one year	30	23	19	122	101	
Infant mortality rate(e)	32.9	25.2	19.5	63.5	48.5	

(a) Numbers registered during the year. Excludes particulars of full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967. (b) Per 1,000 of mean population. (c) Decrees absolute. Excludes nullities of marriage and judicial separation. (d) Included in deaths, above. (e) Number of deaths per 1,000 live births registered.

TABLE 4.—POPULATION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES 1881 TO 1966

Census	Males	Females	Persons
3 April 1881	3,347	104	3,451
5 April 1891	4,560	338	4,898
31 March 1901	4,216	595	4,811
3 April 1911	2,734	576	3,310
4 April 1921	2,821	1,046	3,867
30 June 1933	3,378	1,472	4,850
30 June 1947	7,378	3,490	10,868
30 June 1954	10,288	6,181	16,469
30 June 1961	16,206	10,889	27,095
30 June 1966	21,508	15,925	37,433

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 5.—POPULATION(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

For urban centres, which are delimited by moving boundaries in accordance with a new uniform concept introduced at the 1966 Census, boundaries for 1961 have been redrawn according to the new criteria. The urban populations (partly estimated) within these boundaries are shown in this table for comparison with 1966 population. For further information, see Census of the Commonwealth of Australia, 30 June 1966, Field Count Statement No. 12—Population: Police Districts, Northern Territory.

Police District(b)	Census, 30 June 1961	Census, 30 June 1966		
	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Darwin—				
City of Darwin—				
Urban Darwin (part)	12,055	9,840	8,184
Rural (part)	18	13	5
Total, City of Darwin	12,073	9,853	8,189
Urban Darwin (part)	2,353	1,393	996
Total, Urban Darwin	14,408	11,233	9,180
Rural (part)	1,000	639	470
Total, Darwin	15,426	11,885	9,655

For footnotes see end of Table.

TABLE 5.—POPULATION(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES
1961 AND 1966—*continued*

Police District(b)	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966		
	Persons	Males	Females		Persons
Adelaide River—Rural	223	203
Alice Springs—					97
Urban Alice Springs	4,648	3,046
Rural	476	364
Total, Alice Springs	5,124	3,410
Anthony Lagoon—Rural	159	116
Arnhem Land—Rural	95	190
Avon Downs—Rural	112	166
Batchelor—Rural	614	373
Daly River—Rural	67	191
Daly Waters—Rural	149	200
Elliott—Rural	246	167
Finke—Rural	179	126
Harts Range—Rural	186	51
Hatches Creek—Rural	103	44
Katherine—					
Urban Katherine	(c)(606)	763
Rural		826
Total, Katherine	826	1,323
Kulgera—Rural	235	116
Lake Nash—Rural	161	73
Larrimah—Rural	53	57
Maranboy—Rural	88	77
Mataranka—Rural	73	70
Pine Creek—Rural	516	421
Roper River—Rural	136	265
Tennant Creek—					
Urban Tennant Creek	(c)(837)	558
Rural		1,368
Total, Tennant Creek	1,368	1,078
Timber Creek—Rural	257	336
Ti Tree—Rural	149	63
Wave Hill—Rural	216	221
Wollogorang—Rural	70	68
Migratory(d)	264	218
TOTAL, NORTHERN TERRITORY	27,095	21,508
					15,925
					37,433

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) The urban centres referred to in this table are not comparable with the areas for which 1961 and 1964 information is given in Tables 6 and 14. (c) Non-urban in 1961. (d) Refers to persons not elsewhere included who, at midnight between 30 June 1966 and 1 July 1966 were on ships in Northern Territory waters, or were travelling on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft.

TABLE 6.—POPULATION AND OCCUPIED DWELLINGS IN LOCALITIES
WITH A POPULATION OF 50 PERSONS OR MORE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1961

Locality	Occupied dwellings	Population		
		Males	Females	Persons
Adelaide River	33	106	53	159
Alice Springs	999	2,487	2,161	4,648
Alice Springs, near	3	16	2	18
Ayers Rock	4	39	28	67
Batchelor	107	394	169	563
Batchelor, near	9	14	18	32
Berrimah	94	319	188	507
Brunette Downs Station	5	48	19	67
Croker Island Mission	6	43	24	67
Darwin, City	2,628	6,977	5,349	12,326
Elliott	17	39	33	72
El Sharana Mine	7	74	8	82
Katherine	147	357	249	606
Katherine, near	38	112	58	170
Knuckey's Lagoon	34	69	63	132
Maranga (see Winnellie)				
Mataranka	9	43	27	70
Melville Island Mission	10	79	75	154
Moline	18	76	27	103
Pine Creek	35	64	45	109
South Alligator Mine	2	56	4	60
Tennant Creek	212	453	384	837
Tennant Creek, near	59	371	95	466
Victoria River Downs Station	7	45	11	56
Winnellie (incl. Maranga)	86	211	146	357

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines and dwellings occupied solely by them.

NOTE. Corresponding details from the 1966 Census are not yet available.

TABLE 7.—POPULATION(a), BY AGE (GROUPED AGES)(b)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Age last birthday (years)	Males	Females	Persons			
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase or decrease (-) since 1961	
					Numerical	Per cent
0- 4	2,462	2,374	4,836	12.92	1,249	34.82
5- 9	2,045	1,912	3,957	10.57	1,257	46.56
10-14	1,407	1,356	2,763	7.38	773	38.84
15-19	1,386	1,155	2,541	6.79	1,052	70.65
20-24	2,564	1,938	4,502	12.03	1,432	46.64
25-29	2,627	1,683	4,310	11.51	1,400	48.11
30-34	1,925	1,254	3,179	8.49	325	11.39
35-39	1,943	1,074	3,017	8.06	642	27.03
40-44	1,541	900	2,441	6.52	825	51.05
45-49	1,054	712	1,766	4.72	357	25.34
50-54	874	535	1,409	3.76	363	34.70
55-59	658	395	1,053	2.81	275	35.35
60-64	463	278	741	1.98	159	27.32
65-69	309	190	499	1.33	150	42.98
70-74	145	95	240	0.64	59	32.60
75-79	65	46	111	0.30	11	11.00
80-84	26	20	46	0.12	6	15.00
85-89	9	5	14	0.04	-1	-6.67
90-94	3	2	5	0.01	2	66.67
95-99	2	1	3	0.01	3	n.a.
100 and over .. .. ..	..	..	..	..	-1	n.a.
TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338	38.15
Under 21	7,663	7,110	14,773	39.47	4,472	43.41
21-64	13,286	8,456	21,742	58.08	5,637	35.00
65 and over	559	359	918	2.45	229	33.24

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Recorded ages adjusted by the distribution of ages 'not stated'.

TABLE 8.—POPULATION(a), BY AGE (GROUPED AGES)(b): DARWIN
ALICE SPRINGS, TENNANT CREEK AND KATHERINE, CENSUS
30 JUNE 1966

Age last birthday (years)	Urban Darwin						Alice Springs		Tennant Creek		Katherine	
	Part in City		Part not in City		Total		Alice Springs		Tennant Creek		Katherine	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
0- 4	1,248	1,159	162	161	1,410	1,320	414	424	98	71	95	91
5- 9	1,070	954	156	163	1,226	1,117	368	354	51	56	61	73
10-14	802	745	78	79	880	824	260	284	37	35	47	35
15-19	644	621	90	79	734	700	194	216	30	28	42	58
20-24	1,011	981	253	145	1,264	1,126	281	402	52	50	111	71
25-29	1,113	905	201	89	1,314	994	341	287	61	40	86	45
30-34	848	630	135	89	983	719	228	219	42	44	69	32
35-39	874	592	120	62	994	654	234	191	61	22	66	35
40-44	700	486	78	50	778	536	191	147	32	35	53	25
45-49	481	380	41	25	522	405	140	132	24	18	40	27
50-54	375	253	29	21	404	274	129	114	22	17	28	11
55-59	290	186	14	9	304	195	93	87	13	12	24	18
60-64	187	132	14	9	201	141	82	47	14	7	19	8
65-69	115	78	12	8	127	86	44	47	12	5	9	6
70-74	49	53	8	4	57	57	23	17	3	1	8	3
75-79	21	16	2	2	23	18	15	15	3	1	4	1
80-84	8	9	..	..	8	9	4	7	3	1	..	..
85-89	1	2	..	1	1	3	4	1	..	..	1	..
90-94	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
95-99	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
100 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	9,840	8,184	1,393	996	11,233	9,180	3,046	2,991	558	443	763	539

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Recorded ages adjusted by distribution of ages 'not stated'.

TABLE 9.—POPULATION, BY MARITAL STATUS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Marital status	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase since 1961
Never married—				%	
Under 15 years of age	5,914	5,642	11,556	30.87	3,279
15 years of age and over	6,525	2,563	9,088	24.28	2,039
Total	12,439	8,205	20,644	55.15	5,318
Married	7,986	6,806	14,792	39.52	4,675
Married but permanently separated(b)	498	293	791	2.11	87
Divorced	310	163	473	1.26	90
Widowed	275	458	733	1.96	168
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Legally or otherwise.

TABLE 10.—POPULATION, BY BIRTHPLACE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Birthplace	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase since 1961
Australia—				%	
Northern Territory	4,397	4,193	8,590	22.95	2,115
Other States	11,499	8,922	20,421	54.55	5,375
Total, Australia	15,896	13,115	29,011	77.50	7,490
New Zealand	211	144	355	0.95	109
Europe—					
United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland	1,939	1,148	3,087	8.25	1,015
Germany	420	167	587	1.57	126
Greece	798	399	1,197	3.20	648
Italy	472	174	646	1.73	81
Malta	19	6	25	0.07	10
Netherlands	177	88	265	0.71	98
Poland	70	15	85	0.23	15
Other	808	172	980	2.62	285
Total, Europe	4,703	2,169	6,872	18.36	2,278
Other birthplaces	698	497	1,195	3.19	461
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 11.—OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION, BY PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Period of residence in Australia (years)	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase since 1961
Under 1 ..	553	288	841	9.99	391
1 and under 2 ..	396	255	651	7.73	297
2 .. 3 ..	396	237	633	7.52	203
3 .. 4 ..	260	154	414	4.92	128
4 .. 5 ..	261	177	438	5.20	135
5 and over ..	3,569	1,631	5,200	61.74	1,564
Not stated ..	177	68	245	2.91	130
TOTAL BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA	5,612	2,810	8,422	100.00	2,848

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 12.—POPULATION, BY NATIONALITY(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Nationality	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase or decrease(—) since 1961
British(b)—				%	
Born in Australia ..	15,896	13,115	29,011	77.50	7,490
Born outside Australia ..	3,801	2,066	5,867	15.67	2,194
Total British ..	19,697	15,181	34,878	93.17	9,684
Foreign—					
Austrian ..	78	12	90	0.24	13
Dutch ..	76	35	111	0.30	18
German ..	262	81	343	0.92	1
Greek ..	574	317	891	2.38	486
Hungarian ..	21	3	24	0.06	-37
Italian ..	230	108	338	0.90	-43
Polish ..	17	4	21	0.06	-9
Russian(c) ..	4	1	5	0.01	-2
Yugoslav ..	74	3	77	0.21	14
Other (including Stateless) ..	475	180	655	1.75	213
Total foreign ..	1,811	744	2,555	6.83	654
GRAND TOTAL ..	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) All persons of individual citizenship status who by virtue of the *Nationality and Citizenship Act 1948–1966* are deemed to be British subjects. Includes naturalised British. For purposes of this table Irish nationality is included with British. (c) Includes Ukrainian.

TABLE 13.—POPULATION ACCORDING TO RACE(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1961

Race	Males	Females	Persons	Race	Males	Females	Persons
EUROPEAN	14,372	9,227	23,599	EUROPEAN AND—(c)			
NON-EUROPEAN—				Afghan	10	12	22
Afghan	8	4	12	African, n.e.i. . . . .	..	..	..
African, n.e.i. . . . .	..	..	..	Arab, Persian . . . . .	..	..	..
Arab, Persian	1	..	1	Asian Jew . . . . .	..	..	..
Asian Jew . . . . .	..	..	..	Asian, n.e.i. . . . .	..	2	2
Asian, n.e.i.	4	1	5	Australian Aboriginal	1,156	1,162	2,318
Chinese	250	208	458	Chinese	69	69	138
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	3	2	5	Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	5	8	13
Egyptian	2	..	2	Egyptian . . . . .	..	1	3
Fijian	6	7	13	Fijian . . . . .	..	..	..
Filipino	23	19	42	Filipino . . . . .	..	69	49
Indian, Pakistani	8	2	10	Indian, Pakistani . . . . .	..	5	4
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc.	16	4	20	Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc. . . . .	..	9	6
Japanese	95	17	112	Japanese . . . . .	..	4	10
Malay	28	18	46	Malay . . . . .	..	46	44
Maori	1	1	2	Maori . . . . .	..	1	1
Negro . . . . .	..	..	..	Negro . . . . .	..	..	..
Pacific Islander, n.e.i.(b)	3	1	4	Pacific Islander, n.e.i.(b) . . . . .	..	..	..
Papuan, New Guinean . . . . .	..	..	..	Papuan, New Guinean . . . . .	..	..	..
Siamese, Thailander . . . . .	..	..	..	Siamese, Thailander . . . . .	..	..	..
Syrian, Lebanese . . . . .	..	1	1	Syrian, Lebanese . . . . .	..	..	..
Torres Strait Islander . . . . .	..	..	..	Torres Strait Islander . . . . .	..	3	3
Other and indefinite	2	7	9	Other and indefinite . . . . .	..	4	8
Total non-European	450	292	742	Total European/Other Races(c) . . . . .	..	1,384	1,370
							2,754
				Total Non-European and European/Other Races . . . . .	..	1,834	1,662
							3,496
				GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	..	16,206	10,889
							27,095

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) Includes Pacific Islander, Polynesian and South Sea Islander, so described. (c) This category covers persons with European blood to the extent of one-half and blood of a non-European race to the extent of one-half.

NOTE. Corresponding details from the 1966 Census are not yet available.

TABLE 14.—POPULATION ACCORDING TO RACE: DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS, TENNANT CREEK, KATHERINE AND BACHELOR(a), POPULATION COUNT, 30 JUNE 1964

Race	Greater Darwin						Alice Springs		Tennant Creek		Katherine		Batchelor	
	City of Darwin		Rest of Greater Darwin		Total									
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
EUROPEAN(b) ..	7,499	5,921	1,436	1,025	8,935	6,946	2,677	2,415	473	362	394	257	315	145
NON-EUROPEAN(b)—														
Afghan ..	1	3	..	..	1	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
African, n.e.i. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Arab, Persian ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asian Jew ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asian, n.e.i. ..	..	3	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chinese ..	269	229	2	4	271	233	6	8	..	1	..	..	..	..
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil ..	3	4	..	..	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Egyptian ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fijian ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Filipino ..	23	19	1	2	24	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indian, Pakistani ..	3	5	2	..	5	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc. ..	..	15	1	1	16	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Japanese ..	9	10	..	1	9	11	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1
Malay ..	21	16	..	3	21	19	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maori ..	..	1	2	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Negro ..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pacific Islander, n.e.i.(c) ..	3	2	1	..	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Papuan, New Guinean ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Siamese, Thailander ..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Syrian, Lebanese ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Torres Strait Islander ..	7	1	..	..	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other and indefinite ..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL NON-EUROPEAN ..	361	295	7	10	368	305	9	15	..	1	..	1	..	1

For footnotes see end of Table.

TABLE 14.—POPULATION ACCORDING TO RACE: DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS, TENNANT CREEK, KATHERINE AND BACHELOR(a)
POPULATION COUNT, 30 JUNE 1964—continued

Race	Greater Darwin						Alice Springs		Tennant Creek		Katherine		Batchelor	
	City of Darwin		Rest of Greater Darwin		Total									
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
EUROPEAN AND—(d)														
Afghan	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
African, n.e.i.
Arab, Persian
Asian Jew
Asian, n.e.i.	..	1	2	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Australian Aboriginal	277	345	16	25	293	370	250	270	21	26	15	28	1	..
Chinese	31	40	4	6	35	46	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Egyptian
Fijian
Filipino	..	30	30	2	1	32	31	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indian, Pakistani	..	1	3	2	1	3	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	..
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc.	..	8	2	..	..	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Japanese	..	5	4	1	1	6	5	3	2	..	..	..	1	2
Malay	..	20	13	4	4	24	17	..	1	..	..	1	..	..
Maori	..	2	4	..	..	2	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Negro	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pacific Islander, n.e.i.(c)	..	3	1	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Papuan, New Guinean
Siamese, Thailander	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Syrian, Lebanese
Torres Strait Islander
Other and indefinite	..	18	27	..	..	18	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mixed blood	..	43	32	1	5	44	37	8	2	..	1	4	4	..
Total European/Other Races(d)	..	441	505	30	43	471	548	266	279	21	27	21	34	3
Other mixed blood(e)	..	78	97	5	7	83	104	12	12	..	1	2	2	..
Not stated	..	14	7	..	..	14	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
GRAND TOTAL	..	8,393	6,825	1,478	1,085	9,871	7,910	2,965	2,721	494	391	417	294	318
														148

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) More than 50 per cent blood of one race. (c) Includes Pacific Islander, Polynesian, and South Sea Islander so described.

(d) This category covers persons with European blood to the extent of one half and blood of a non-European race to the extent of one half. (e) This category comprises persons to whom both the following conditions apply: (i) less than 50 per cent European blood and (ii) 50 per cent or less blood of any one other race.

NOTE. Corresponding details from the 1966 Census are not yet available.

TABLE 15.—POPULATION, BY RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Religious denomination	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase or decrease (—) since 1961
Christian—				%	
Baptist	208	195	403	1.08	176
Brethren	6	10	16	0.04	-1
Catholic, Roman(b)	3,599	2,471	6,070	16.22	1,754
Catholic(b)	1,903	1,595	3,498	9.34	546
Churches of Christ	85	77	162	0.43	42
Church of England	5,736	4,561	10,297	27.51	2,132
Congregational	90	88	178	0.48	21
Lutheran	499	342	841	2.25	252
Methodist	1,610	1,436	3,046	8.14	542
Orthodox	1,032	646	1,678	4.48	819
Presbyterian	1,164	878	2,042	5.46	445
Protestant (undefined)	243	171	414	1.11	-206
Salvation Army	116	100	216	0.58	82
Seventh-day Adventist	26	28	54	0.14	37
Other (including Christian undefined)	746	703	1,449	3.87	960
Total Christian	17,063	13,301	30,364	81.12	7,601
Non-Christian—					
Hebrew	10	6	16	0.04	-7
Other	126	68	194	0.52	-12
Total non-Christian	136	74	210	0.56	-19
Indefinite	117	90	207	0.55	121
No Religion	481	214	695	1.86	436
No Reply	3,711	2,246	5,957	15.91	2,199
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) So described in individual Census Schedules.

NOTE. Section 21 of the *Census and Statistics Act* 1905-1966 provides that 'No person shall be liable to any penalty for omitting or refusing to state the religious denomination or sect to which he belongs or adheres.' It is mainly for this reason that the number of people who do not state their religion is comparatively large.

TABLE 16.—POPULATION, BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Highest level of education attained	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total population		
				Males	Females	Persons
Tertiary—				%	%	%
University degree	443	95	538	2.06	0.60	1.44
Other tertiary qualifications ..	560	428	988	2.60	2.69	2.64
Secondary—						
Passed at leaving, matriculation, senior or schools board (A and B certificate) level ..	1,975	1,143	3,118	9.18	7.18	8.33
Passed at intermediate, junior or secondary school certificate level	4,317	3,163	7,480	20.07	19.86	19.98
Attended secondary school(b)	4,065	2,979	7,044	18.90	18.71	18.82
Primary—						
Attended primary school(c)	6,724	5,086	11,810	31.26	31.94	31.55
No schooling	2,941	2,764	5,705	13.67	17.36	15.24
Not Stated	483	267	750	2.25	1.68	2.00
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	100.00	100.00

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) Passed no examinations at Intermediate, Junior or Secondary School Certificate level or above. (c) Or passed final primary examinations.

EXPLANATORY NOTES: WORK FORCE, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966.

At the 1961 and previous Censuses the work force was determined as:

'Those who are engaged in an industry, business, profession, trade or service at the time of the Census (including those on long service leave, etc.) . . .'; and

' . . . those out of a job at time of the Census but who are usually engaged in an industry, business, profession, trade or service . . .'

At the 1966 Census an additional set of four questions was asked in order to obtain information on the basis of which the work force could be determined more precisely. The questions were as follows.

'Did the person have a job or business of any kind last week (even though he may have been temporarily absent from it)? ANSWER "YES" OR "NO".'

'Did the person do any work at all last week for payment or profit? ANSWER "YES" OR "NO". Persons working without pay as a helper in a 'family business' or farm and members of the clergy and of religious orders (other than purely contemplative orders) should answer "YES" to this question. Persons doing only unpaid housework should answer "NO".'

'Was the person temporarily laid off by his employer without pay for the whole of last week? ANSWER "YES" OR "NO".'

'Did the person look for work last week? ANSWER "YES" OR "NO". (NOTE. "Looking for work" means (i) being registered with Commonwealth Employment Service, or (ii) approaching prospective employers, or (iii) placing or answering advertisements, or (iv) writing letters of application, or (v) awaiting the result of recent applications).'

The work force includes all persons for whom the answer 'yes' was given to any one of these four questions. Except that persons helping but not receiving wages or a salary who usually worked less than fifteen hours a week were excluded from the work force.

This approach conforms closely to the recommendations of the Eighth International Conference of Labour Statisticians held in Geneva in 1954 and the information so obtained has been used in determining the work force for the purposes of the 1966 Census.

The effect of the new definition is to include additional persons in the work force. This applies particularly to those working part-time (sometimes for only a few hours a week) some of whom, in 1961, may not have considered themselves as '... engaged in an industry, business, profession, trade or service.'

TABLE 17.—POPULATION, BY OCCUPATIONAL STATUS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Occupational status	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total population distribution		
				Males	Females	Persons
In work force—				%	%	%
Employed—						
Employer	815	225	1,040	3.79	1.41	2.78
Self-employed	601	134	735	2.79	0.84	1.96
Employee on wage or salary	12,796	4,171	16,967	59.49	26.19	45.33
Helper, unpaid	26	76	102	0.12	0.48	0.27
Total employed	14,238	4,606	18,844	66.20	28.92	50.34
Unemployed	162	138	300	0.75	0.87	0.80
Total in work force	14,400	4,744	19,144	66.95	29.79	51.14
Not in work force—						
Child not at school	2,577	2,504	5,081	11.98	15.72	13.57
Child attending school or full-time student	3,594	3,427	7,021	16.71	21.52	18.76
Mainly dependent on pension or superannuation	312	331	643	1.45	2.08	1.72
Of independent means	87	59	146	0.40	0.37	0.39
Home duties .. ..	..	4,585	4,585	..	28.79	12.25
Inmates of institutions	69	13	82	0.32	0.08	0.22
Other not in work force	469	262	731	2.18	1.65	1.95
Total not in work force	7,108	11,181	18,289	33.05	70.21	48.86
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	100.00	100.00

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 18.—POPULATION, BY INDUSTRY(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Industry group		Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total work force
Primary production	.. .. ..	1,319	185	1,504	7.86
Mining and quarrying	.. .. ..	1,231	39	1,270	6.63
Manufacturing	.. .. ..	1,039	177	1,216	6.35
Electricity, gas, water, and sanitary services (production, supply and maintenance)	.. ..	335	7	342	1.79
Building and construction	.. ..	3,029	62	3,091	16.15
Transport, storage and communication	.. ..	1,935	241	2,176	11.37
Finance and property	.. .. ..	204	121	325	1.70
Commerce	.. .. ..	939	803	1,742	9.10
Public authority (n.e.i.) and defence services	.. ..	2,559	666	3,225	16.85
Community and business services (including professional)(b)	.. .. ..	1,078	1,331	2,409	12.58
Amusement, hotels and other accommodation, cafes, personal service, etc.	.. ..	550	885	1,435	7.50
Other industries and industry inadequately described or not stated	.. ..	182	227	409	2.14
Total in work force	.. ..	14,400	4,744	19,144	100.00
Persons not in work force	.. ..	7,108	11,181	18,289	..
GRAND TOTAL	.. .. ..	21,508	15,925	37,433	..

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) Includes police, fire brigades, hospitals, medical and dental services, education, and business services such as consultant engineering and surveying, accountancy and auditing, industrial and trade associations, advertising, etc.

TABLE 19.—POPULATION, BY OCCUPATION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Occupation group	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total work force
Professional, technical and related workers ..	1,288	890	2,178	11.38
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	1,084	168	1,252	6.54
Clerical workers	1,046	1,361	2,407	12.57
Sales workers	264	550	814	4.25
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber-getters and related workers	1,237	90	1,327	6.93
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	641	..	641	3.35
Workers in transport and communication occupations	1,156	116	1,272	6.64
Craftsmen, production-process workers and labourers n.e.i.	5,564	95	5,659	29.56
Service, sport and recreation workers	785	1,174	1,959	10.23
Members of armed services	1,182	100	1,282	6.70
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	153	200	353	1.84
TOTAL IN WORK FORCE	14,400	4,744	19,144	100.00

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 20.—OCCUPIED AND UNOCCUPIED DWELLINGS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1911 TO 1966

Census	Dwellings				Unoccupied (b)	
	Occupied			Total		
	Private	Other				
1911	1,194	33	1,227	23		
1921	1,005	69	1,074	135		
1933	1,222	79	1,301	55		
1947	2,592	105	2,697	34		
1954	3,237	190	3,427	47		
1961	5,146	333	5,479	179		
1966	7,499	568	8,067	380		

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) 'Unoccupied dwellings' include vacant dwellings available for sale or renting; dwellings such as 'week-enders', 'holiday home', 'second home', 'seasonal workers' quarters', which were not occupied on the night of the Census; dwellings normally occupied but whose usual occupants were temporarily absent on the night of the Census; newly completed dwellings whose owners or tenants had not entered into occupation on the night of the Census; dwellings described as 'to be demolished', 'condemned', 'deceased estate', 'exhibition home', etc. The total number of unoccupied dwellings shown for any area must not, therefore, be read as representing the number of vacant houses and flats available for sale or renting.

TABLE 21.—SUMMARY OF POPULATION AND DWELLINGS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966		
	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban	Rural	Total
Area in square miles ..	59	523,561	(b)523,620	61	520,219	(b)520,280
Population—						
Males	9,496	6,710	16,206	15,600	5,908	21,508
Females	7,510	3,379	10,889	13,153	2,772	15,925
Persons	16,805	8,956	(c)27,095	28,753	8,680	37,433
Average number of persons per square mile ..	284.83	0.02	0.05	467.76	0.02	0.07
Dwellings(d)—						
Occupied	3,627	1,852	5,479	6,503	1,564	8,067
Unoccupied(e)	86	93	179	283	97	380
TOTAL	3,713	1,945	5,658	6,786	1,661	8,447
Average number of dwellings per square mile(f) ..	62.93	(g)	0.01	110.40	(g)	0.02

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines and dwellings occupied solely by them. (b) Area re-calculated in 1964 by National Mapping Office. (c) Includes population classed as migratory. (d) Private and non-private. (e) See footnote (b) to Table 20. (f) Occupied and unoccupied dwellings. (g) Less than 0.005.

TABLE 22.—DWELLINGS(a), BY CLASS: NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

Class of dwelling	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966				Inter- censal increase or decrease (—)
	Total	Proportion of total occupied dwellings	Urban	Rural	Total	Proportion of total occupied dwellings	
		%					%
OCCUPIED DWELLINGS—							
Private dwellings—							
Private house ..	3,904	71.25	4,834	983	5,817	72.11	1,913
Share of private house ..	189	3.45	(b)39	(b)4	43	0.53	—146
Self-contained flat ..	397	7.25	810	28	838	10.39	{ (c) 446
Share of self-contained flat ..	(c)	(c)	(d)5		5	0.06	
Shed, hut, tent, etc. ..	553	10.09	367	249	616	7.63	
Other private dwellings ..	103	1.88	173	7	180	2.23	63
Total private dwellings ..	5,146	93.92	6,228	1,271	7,499	92.96	77
Non-private dwellings—							
Licensed hotel ..	24	0.44	19	22	41	0.51	17
Motel ..	7	0.13	11	8	19	0.24	12
Boarding house ..	117	2.14	100	9	109	1.35	—8
Educational institution ..	2	0.04	4		4	0.05	2
Religious institution ..	11	0.20	3	7	10	0.12	—1
Charitable institution ..	3	0.05	13	4	17	0.21	14
Hospital ..	7	0.13	5	3	8	0.10	1
Staff barracks ..	132	2.41	106	232	338	4.19	206
Other non-private dwellings ..	30	0.55	14	8	22	0.27	—8
Total non-private dwellings ..	333	6.08	275	293	568	7.04	235
TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS ..	5,479	100.00	6,503	1,564	8,067	100.00	2,588
TOTAL UNOCCUPIED DWELLINGS	179	..	283	97	380	..	201

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) Represents 15 private houses in Urban Darwin and 1 in Rural Northern Territory. (c) At the 1961 Census 'Share of self-contained flat' was not separately identified. In cases where more than one household group were occupying a self-contained flat they were counted as one household group occupying a self-contained flat. (d) Represents 2 self-contained flats in Urban Darwin.

NOTE

At the 1966 Census the following definitions were used as a basis for the Census of Dwellings.

(a) An 'occupied dwelling' is any habitation occupied by a Household group and may comprise the whole or only part of a building.

(b) A 'household group' is a person or group of persons living as a domestic unit with common eating arrangements. The number of 'occupied dwellings' and the number of 'households' are therefore identical by definition.

The lack of a structural definition of a dwelling is not considered a significant disadvantage in Australia as the majority of households do in fact each occupy one distinct dwelling structure (i.e. a house or a self-contained flat).

TABLE 23.—DWELLINGS(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

For urban centres, which are delimited by moving boundaries in accordance with a new uniform concept introduced at the 1966 Census, boundaries for 1961 have been redrawn according to the new criteria. The dwellings (partly estimated) within these boundaries are shown in this table for comparison with 1966 number of dwellings. For further information, see Census of the Commonwealth of Australia, 30 June 1966, Field Count Statement No. 12—Population: Police Districts, Northern Territory.

Police District(b)	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966		
	Occupied	Un-occupied	Total	Occupied	Un-occupied	Total
Darwin—						
City of Darwin—						
Urban Darwin (part) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	4,102	179	4,281
Rural (part) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	8	1	9
Total, City of Darwin ..	2,628	52	2,680	4,110	180	4,290
Urban Darwin (part) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	465	10	475
Total, Urban Darwin ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	4,567	189	4,756
Rural (part) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	274	23	297
Total, Darwin ..	3,141	82	3,223	4,849	213	5,062
Adelaide River—Rural ..	46	..	46	65	5	70
Alice Springs—						
Urban Alice Springs ..	999	34	1,033	1,356	71	1,427
Rural ..	88	4	92	120	8	128
Total, Alice Springs ..	1,087	38	1,125	1,476	79	1,555
Anthony Lagoon—Rural ..	18	..	18	30	..	30
Arnhem Land—Rural ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	38	1	39
Avon Downs—Rural ..	18	..	18	37	..	37
Batchelor—Rural ..	120	21	141	111	18	129
Daly River—Rural ..	27	6	33	27	..	27
Daly Waters—Rural ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	48	1	49
Elliott—Rural ..	48	3	51	35	..	35
Finke—Rural ..	24	..	24	31	..	31
Harts Range—Rural ..	41	8	49	22	6	28
Hatches Creek—Rural ..	33	4	37	23	7	30
Katherine—						
Urban Katherine(c) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	318	10	328
Rural ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	156	1	157
Total, Katherine ..	197	2	199	474	11	485

For footnotes see end of Table

TABLE 23.—DWELLINGS(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966—*continued*

Police District(b)	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966		
	Occupied	Un- occupied	Total	Occupied	Un- occupied	Total
Kulgera—Rural	34	..	34	32	2	34
Lake Nash—Rural	27	..	27	19	3	22
Larrimah—Rural	33	1	34	14	..	14
Maranboy—Rural	24	..	24	31	..	31
Mataranka—Rural	10	..	10	18	..	18
Pine Creek—Rural	100	..	100	130	7	137
Roper River—Rural	50	..	50	58	..	58
Tennant Creek—						
Urban Tennant Creek(c)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	262	13	275
Rural	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	76	7	83
Total, Tennant Creek ..	283	12	295	338	20	358
Timber Creek—Rural	29	..	29	76	1	77
Ti Tree—Rural	37	2	39	21	6	27
Wave Hill—Rural	30	..	30	51	..	51
Wollogorang—Rural	11	..	11	13	..	13
TOTAL, NORTHERN TERRITORY	5,479	179	(d) 5,658	8,067	380	8,447

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) The urban centres referred to in this table are not comparable with the areas for which 1961 and 1964 information is given in Tables 6 and 14. (c) Non-urban in 1961. (d) Includes 11 dwellings in the police district of Borroloola which is now incorporated in Daly Waters and Anthony Lagoon.

TABLE 24.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS(a), BY MATERIAL OF OUTER WALLS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Material of outer walls	Class of dwelling			Urban	Rural	Total occupied private dwellings
	Private house	Self-contained flat	Other			
Brick(b)	1,033	299	36	1,297	71	1,368
Brick veneer(b)	70	15	3	86	2	88
Stone ..	28	4	5	20	17	37
Concrete ..	617	132	23	704	68	772
Wood ..	254	25	170	269	180	449
Iron, tin ..	390	49	192	321	310	631
Fibro-cement ..	3,207	310	168	3,306	379	3,685
Other ..	218	4	247	228	241	469
TOTAL ..	5,817	838	844	6,231	1,268	7,499

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) So described in individual Census Schedules.

TABLE 25.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS(a), BY NUMBER OF ROOMS PER DWELLING: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Number of rooms per dwelling	Class of dwelling			Urban	Rural	Total occupied private dwellings
	Private house	Self-contained flat	Other			
1	33	84	538	475	180	655
2	144	202	178	397	127	524
3	546	311	76	795	138	933
4	1,579	137	27	1,531	212	1,743
5	2,348	75	10	2,087	346	2,433
6	714	23	8	606	139	745
7	278	2	2	233	49	282
8	89	2	..	63	28	91
9	40	1	1	21	21	42
10	19	1	..	11	9	20
11 and over	27	..	4	12	19	31
TOTAL	5,817	838	844	6,231	1,268	7,499

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

NOTE. Kitchen and permanently enclosed sleep-out are included in number of rooms, but not bathroom, pantry, laundry or storehouse.

TABLE 26.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS(a), BY NUMBER OF INMATES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Number of inmates per dwelling	Class of dwelling			Urban	Rural	Total occupied private dwellings
	Private house	Self-contained flat	Other			
1	341	185	293	592	227	819
2	991	303	274	1,304	264	1,568
3	1,030	177	144	1,151	200	1,351
4	1,280	97	62	1,198	241	1,439
5	919	44	37	841	159	1,000
6	573	14	19	520	86	606
7	327	11	10	311	37	348
8	179	5	1	157	28	185
9	68	2	3	59	14	73
10	53	..	..	44	9	53
11 and over	56	..	1	54	3	57
TOTAL	5,817	838	844	6,231	1,268	7,499
Average number of inmates per dwelling	4.14	2.56	2.30	3.82	3.44	3.76

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 27.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS(a) BY NATURE OF OCCUPANCY: NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

Nature of occupancy	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966				Inter-censal increase
	Total	Proportion of total	Urban	Rural	Total	Proportion of total	
PRIVATE HOUSES							
Owner	1,335	34.20	1,559	267	1,826	31.39	491
Purchaser by instalments	1,160	29.71	2,057	145	2,202	37.85	1,042
Tenant of Government Authorities(b)							
Other tenant	1,189	30.46	1,070	384	1,454	25.00	265
Other methods of occupancy ..	199	5.10	124	169	293	5.04	94
Not stated	21	0.54	24	18	42	0.72	21
TOTAL	3,904	100.00	4,834	983	5,817	100.00	1,913
SELF-CONTAINED FLATS							
Owner	50	12.59	72	7	79	9.43	29
Purchaser by instalments	52	13.10	176	..	176	21.00	124
Tenant of Government Authorities(b)							
Other tenant	260	65.49	513	14	527	62.89	267
Other methods of occupancy ..	35	8.82	33	7	40	4.77	5
Not stated .. .. ..	..	..	16	..	16	1.91	16
TOTAL	397	100.00	810	28	838	100.00	441

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Northern Territory Administration or Housing Commission.

TABLE 28.—OCCUPIED TENANTED PRIVATE DWELLINGS
BY WEEKLY RENT (UNFURNISHED)(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

Weekly rent (unfurnished)	Census, 30 June 1961				Census, 30 June 1966			
	Houses (b)	Flats	Other	Total	Houses	Flats	Other	Total
Under \$2	146	13	3	162	73	10	16	99
\$ 2 and under \$ 4	217	31	5	253	121	15	8	144
\$ 4 \$ 6	342	10	6	358	194	25	9	228
\$ 6 \$ 8	192	11	7	210	167	22	6	195
\$ 8 \$ 10	150	7	5	162	333	35	3	371
\$10 \$12	58	5	3	66	540	47	7	594
\$12 \$14	23	5	3	31	59	9	3	71
\$14 \$16	14	6	3	23	24	11	1	36
\$16 \$18	12	11	1	24	30	15	2	47
\$18 \$20	2	1	..	3	15	2	1	18
\$20 \$22					15	13	3	31
\$22 \$24					4	3	..	7
\$24 \$26					9	4	..	13
\$26 \$28 .. .. ..					..	1	..	1
\$28 \$30					13	3	2	18
\$30 and over					401	54	52	507
Not stated(c)	1,456	204	174	1,834				
TOTAL UNFURNISHED	2,628	312	211	3,151	1,998	269	113	2,380
Total furnished(c) .. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1,658	434	80	2,172

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) Includes sheds, huts, tents, etc. (c) In 1961 dwellings rented on a furnished basis were included in 'Not stated'.

TABLE 29.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS(a)
BY FACILITY: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Facility	Urban		Rural		Total	
	Houses	Flats	Houses	Flats	Houses	Flats
Gas only	9	1	44	..	53	1
Electricity only	4,299	714	637	14	4,936	728
Gas and electricity	463	71	191	14	654	85
Neither gas nor electricity	17	2	86	..	103	2
Not stated	46	22	25	..	71	22
TOTAL	4,834	810	983	28	5,817	838
Television set	34	4	8	..	42	4

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

**TABLE 30.—WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1954 TO 1968**

(Excluding employees in rural industry and private domestic service, and defence forces)
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June—	Males	Females	Persons	June—	Males	Females	Persons
1954 ..	5.0	1.2	6.2	1962 ..	7.5	2.5	10.0
1955 ..	5.3	1.3	6.6	1963 ..	8.0	2.9	10.9
1956 ..	5.6	1.5	7.1	1964 ..	8.9	3.0	11.9
1957 ..	6.3	1.6	7.9	1965 ..	9.5	3.2	12.7
1958 ..	6.3	1.7	8.0	1966 ..	10.5	3.6	14.1
1959 ..	6.9	1.9	8.8	1967 ..	11.6	4.1	15.7
1960 ..	7.2	2.0	9.2	1968 ..	13.1	4.8	17.9
1961 ..	7.3	2.3	9.6				

NOTE. The estimates shown above are based on comprehensive data derived for the purpose from the population censuses of June 1954 and June 1961. The estimates are derived from pay-roll tax returns, returns of government employment, other direct records of employment and estimates of the number of employees not covered by these collections. They are not directly comparable with figures derived from the 1966 population Census, for which new work force concepts were adopted.

NOTE. In June 1967 the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission decided to eliminate basic wages and margins from its awards and to introduce total wages to operate from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing on or after 1 July 1967. Consequently the table of basic wages previously shown in this publication has been discontinued.

**TABLE 31.—TRADE UNIONS AND MEMBERSHIP: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963 TO 1967**

31 December—	Number of separate unions	Number of members(a)
1963 ..	30	3,300
1964 ..	30	3,400
1965 ..	33	3,500
1966 ..	38	4,100
1967 ..	40	4,500

(a) Excludes some union members associated with State organisations. The figures reflect in part more accurate reporting, and comparability of figures between years is affected by this aspect.

**TABLE 32.—INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963 TO 1967**

Year	Number of disputes	Workers involved (directly and indirectly)	Working days lost	Estimated loss in wages (\$'000)
1963 ..	8	915	968	9.3
1964 ..	6	602	437	4.3
1965 ..	17	1,748	2,784	35.0
1966 ..	4	259	1,211	17.3
1967 ..	16	2,679	9,055	113.7

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more.

TABLE 33.—CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA FOR SELECTED STATIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY

Month	Mean temperature ° F.		Extreme shade temperature ° F.		Mean relative humidity at 9 a.m. (%)	Prevailing direction of wind		Rainfall (inches)			
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.		9 a.m.	3 p.m.	Mean monthly	Greater monthly	Least monthly	Greater in one day
DARWIN											
January ..	89.9	77.3	(a) 100.0	(a) 68.0	78	NW-S	W-NW	16.18	27.86	2.67	11.67
February ..	89.8	77.1	100.9	63.0	79	W-S	W-NW	12.37	28.23	0.53	11.00
March ..	90.2	77.1	102.0	66.6	78	SE	W-NW	11.18	23.42	0.81	7.18
April ..	91.9	75.9	104.0	60.8	69	SE	E	3.08	23.74	Nil	6.22
May ..	90.1	72.6	102.3	59.1	63	SE	E	0.33	11.76	Nil	1.76
June ..	87.5	69.5	98.6	53.8	61	SE	E-SE	0.09	1.53	Nil	1.32
July ..	86.6	67.8	98.0	50.7	59	SE	E-SE	0.01	2.56	Nil	1.71
August ..	88.5	69.7	98.0	56.4	63	SE	NW-N	0.02	3.30	Nil	3.15
September ..	91.0	73.9	102.0	62.1	65	SE-S	NW-N	0.60	4.26	Nil	2.78
October ..	92.6	77.2	104.8	67.4	65	S	NW-N	1.93	13.34	Nil	3.74
November ..	93.2	78.2	103.3	66.8	68	W-S	NW-N	4.32	15.72	0.40	4.73
December ..	92.0	78.1	102.0	65.0	73	NW-S	NW-N	8.57	22.94	0.98	7.87
Year ..	90.3	74.5	104.8	50.7	68	SE	NW	(d) 58.68	28.23	Nil	11.67
ALICE SPRINGS											
January ..	95.3	69.8	(c) 116.0	(c) 50.0	31	E-SE	SE	1.74	11.06	Nil	4.20
February ..	94.7	68.3	114.0	47.3	34	E-SE	SE	1.32	9.28	Nil	4.15
March ..	90.1	62.8	113.0	39.0	36	E-SE	SE	1.09	8.95	Nil	5.79
April ..	81.3	53.8	102.8	35.4	40	E	SE	0.39	4.61	Nil	2.84
May ..	73.3	46.0	101.0	27.0	47	SE	SE	0.60	4.28	Nil	1.87
June ..	67.1	41.2	87.0	22.0	54	E-SE	SE	0.52	2.92	Nil	1.99
July ..	66.9	38.9	88.0	19.0	49	W	SE	0.29	4.17	Nil	2.17
August ..	72.5	43.2	96.4	25.0	39	SE	SE	0.31	6.22	Nil	2.70
September ..	80.1	49.2	99.7	30.0	31	E-SE	SE	0.28	3.53	Nil	1.86
October ..	87.6	58.5	113.1	36.4	27	E-SE	SE	0.71	4.54	Nil	2.28
November ..	91.7	64.0	115.0	40.0	27	E	SE	1.15	5.46	Nil	2.66
December ..	94.7	68.2	117.0	46.0	29	E	SE	1.53	11.34	Nil	4.66
Year ..	82.9	55.3	117.0	19.0	37	E	SE	(d) 9.93	11.34	Nil	5.79
TENNANT CREEK POST OFFICE											
January ..	98.5	75.9	115.0	60.3	42	E	E	4.04	15.35	Nil	7.35
February ..	96.8	74.5	110.7	52.0	48	E	E	3.54	14.95	Nil	9.22
March ..	94.5	72.1	111.0	53.5	41	E	E	2.08	16.95	Nil	4.62
April ..	88.8	66.1	104.0	50.0	34	E	E	0.35	7.73	Nil	2.27
May ..	81.7	59.0	100.0	41.2	37	E	E	0.21	6.79	Nil	2.73
June ..	76.0	53.3	93.6	37.0	42	E-SE	E-SE	0.35	2.75	Nil	1.71
July ..	75.4	51.1	92.0	36.4	38	E	E-SE	0.25	3.71	Nil	1.32
August ..	81.3	54.2	96.0	37.0	31	E	E	0.06	3.28	Nil	0.58
September ..	88.6	60.7	102.0	42.0	28	E	E-SE	0.11	2.79	Nil	1.04
October ..	95.1	67.9	109.0	51.0	28	E	E	0.40	3.06	Nil	1.42
November ..	98.3	72.7	111.6	56.0	31	E	E	1.07	4.16	Nil	2.96
December ..	99.8	75.5	112.8	53.0	36	E	E-N	1.39	8.63	Nil	3.53
Year ..	89.6	65.2	115.0	36.4	36	E	E	(d) 13.85	16.95	Nil	9.22

(a) Years 1882–1941 at Post Office, 1942–1968 at Aerodrome; sites not strictly comparable. (b) 1882 to 1938 at Post Office. (c) Highest or lowest recorded at either Post Office or Aerodrome. (d) Total.

TABLE 33.—CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA FOR SELECTED STATIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY—*continued*

Month	Mean temperature ° F.		Extreme shade temperature ° F.		Mean relative humidity at 9 a.m. (%)	Prevailing direction of wind		Rainfall (inches)			
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.		9 a.m.	3 p.m.	Mean monthly	Great-est monthly	Least monthly	Great-est in one day

KATHERINE POST OFFICE

January ..	94.8	74.6	106.0	65.0	81	NW	NW-SE	9.14	27.74	2.76	9.20
February ..	94.1	74.3	105.0	56.0	85	NW	NW	7.07	19.28	0.40	9.02
March ..	95.2	72.8	104.0	55.0	80	SE	SE	5.89	25.48	Nil	5.08
April ..	93.4	68.3	104.0	51.0	65	SE	SE	0.78	8.38	Nil	4.04
May ..	90.5	62.3	100.0	44.9	60	SE	SE	0.27	2.43	Nil	2.43
June ..	86.3	57.3	97.0	38.2	58	SE	SE	0.12	2.13	Nil	1.12
July ..	87.1	56.6	96.0	37.0	57	SE	SE	0.03	1.89	Nil	1.33
August ..	90.2	58.8	102.0	40.0	52	SE	SE	0.01	0.76	Nil	0.25
September ..	96.0	66.7	105.5	47.0	53	SE	SE	0.16	3.58	Nil	1.53
October ..	100.7	74.9	108.0	52.3	59	N	SE	1.15	5.85	Nil	3.16
November ..	100.8	76.4	114.0	61.0	65	N	N	3.02	14.00	0.05	4.79
December ..	97.7	76.1	110.0	63.0	72	N	N-SE	7.81	29.61	1.39	4.83
Year ..	93.9	68.3	114.0	37.0	66	SE	SE	(a)35.45	29.61	Nil	9.20

DALY WATERS

January ..	97.5	75.6	(b)	(b)	63	N	NW-SE	6.77	23.16	0.58	4.85
February ..	96.6	74.4	111.0	52.5	66	NW	NW-SE	5.11	20.35	0.42	4.10
March ..	94.9	72.6	110.3	55.2	62	SE	ENE-SE	4.24	15.41	Nil	5.79
April ..	93.2	67.1	106.2	49.0	51	SE	E-SE	0.94	10.07	Nil	5.40
May ..	88.0	61.0	101.0	43.0	47	SE	E-SE	0.27	2.65	Nil	1.70
June ..	84.0	56.9	97.8	34.3	48	SE	E-SE	0.14	5.80	Nil	1.53
July ..	83.9	54.0	98.0	30.2	42	SE	E-SE	0.03	2.24	Nil	1.46
August ..	89.1	56.4	102.4	39.0	41	SE	E-SE	0.03	2.45	Nil	1.35
September ..	95.6	63.9	108.1	41.2	38	SE	E	0.12	2.54	Nil	2.54
October ..	100.7	71.0	112.0	48.3	40	N-SE	N-SE	0.68	3.85	Nil	2.42
November ..	102.1	74.8	113.0	56.5	45	N	N-E	2.41	10.42	0.01	2.77
December ..	101.1	75.9	116.1	58.3	54	N	N-NE	3.98	15.76	0.08	5.12
Year ..	93.9	67.0	116.1	30.2	50	SE	SE	(a)24.72	23.16	Nil	5.79

(a) Total.

(b) Highest or lowest recorded at either Post Office or Aerodrome.

NOTE. Extremes of temperature and rainfall are at end of December 1968. Unless otherwise indicated, other figures are based on standard thirty-years normals (1911–1940).

TABLE 34.—MONTHLY RAINFALL AT SELECTED STATIONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1962 TO 1968

(Inches)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
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DARWIN AERODROME

1962	22.47	18.30	6.90	1.04	0.01	0.01	0.01	2.11	5.60	7.37	63.82
1963	12.22	13.00	8.98	4.93	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.01	..	1.81	2.43	9.01	52.46
1964	12.56	4.62	13.81	4.97	0.07	0.08	..	..	2.78	3.23	14.61	10.33	67.06
1965	5.35	5.22	23.42	0.08	0.56	0.01	..	..	0.85	0.19	2.55	22.94	61.17
1966	17.04	10.39	5.13	1.54	0.03	0.04	..	0.15	0.07	3.35	4.65	11.53	53.92
1967	17.10	25.26	11.39	1.17	1.46	..	..	..	..	0.24	3.23	4.20	64.05
1968	21.57	26.50	8.94	3.80	11.76	..	0.37	0.22	0.52	2.74	2.24	4.82	83.48

ALICE SPRINGS AERODROME

1962	1.12	0.19	1.54	..	0.09	0.84	0.79	1.17	..	1.61	0.26	0.09	7.70
1963	0.40	0.02	0.74	0.27	1.06	0.45	..	0.06	..	0.28	0.34	0.62	4.24
1964	0.21	..	..	0.52	0.91	0.55	..	0.15	0.93	0.70	0.70	0.18	4.85
1965	..	..	0.47	..	..	0.17	..	0.32	0.02	0.25	0.40	1.60	3.23
1966	7.18	0.28	..	..	0.39	2.17	0.01	2.50	..	1.45	0.71	0.63	15.32
1967	0.28	6.10	0.87	..	1.49	0.09	..	..	..	0.04	0.11	0.31	9.29
1968	3.03	0.90	0.95	1.53	2.67	0.38	2.40	0.47	1.30	0.85	1.87	1.89	18.24

TENNANT CREEK POST OFFICE

1962	7.34	1.35	0.36	0.02	0.44	0.79	..	0.01	..	0.59	0.20	1.10	12.20
1963	3.74	4.25	0.31	0.23	..	..	..	..	0.12	0.23	0.02	0.18	9.08
1964	2.98	0.46	0.31	..	0.11	..	..	..	0.84	1.73	0.40	1.69	8.52
1965	0.67	0.04	11.37	..	..	0.06	..	0.08	..	0.14	0.14	2.68	15.18
1966	6.84	0.31	0.38	..	0.13	0.10	..	0.79	0.35	1.16	1.97	1.30	13.33
1967	0.60	12.48	6.03	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.28	0.14	2.58	22.11
1968	4.95	4.92	1.00	0.18	6.79	..	1.63	0.05	0.02	..	0.07	1.72	21.33

KATHERINE POST OFFICE

1962	9.52	6.25	1.19	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.03	4.95	2.39	24.33
1963	18.79	5.38	2.69	7.09	0.03	..	..	..	..	1.79	0.19	5.02	40.98
1964	8.06	4.11	7.77	0.65	0.06	..	..	..	..	3.88	8.41	7.42	40.36
1965	3.86	1.06	8.71	..	0.57	..	..	..	..	1.19	0.17	6.96	22.52
1966	9.49	8.89	1.90	..	0.06	..	..	..	..	1.14	1.29	5.52	5.20
1967	8.18	15.76	8.56	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.08	6.10	42.68
1968	14.45	17.46	6.91	0.29	1.59	..	1.89	..	0.06	0.12	3.39	4.29	50.45

DALY WATERS AERODROME

1962	9.73	5.95	0.16	0.09	..	..	..	..	..	0.43	0.73	1.58	18.67
1963	4.24	8.01	5.00	5.18	..	..	..	..	0.08	0.04	0.01	1.78	24.34
1964	7.91	1.32	6.28	0.39	0.01	..	..	..	..	0.70	2.20	5.73	24.54
1965	3.50	1.15	9.88	..	0.31	..	..	..	..	..	0.13	4.12	19.09
1966	10.22	6.55	0.99	..	..	0.01	..	0.02	0.06	1.75	1.25	4.19	25.04
1967	2.93	20.35	6.27	0.41	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.48	2.58	33.02
1968	8.86	11.99	3.58	0.36	2.65	..	2.24	..	..	..	1.03	2.98	33.69

TABLE 35.—LAND TENURE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968
('000 Acres)

Tenure	At 30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Freehold	324	324	324	319	319
Leasehold	177,716	182,956	183,471	178,652	180,264
Held under licence	13,720	8,884	7,216	13,092	11,331
Reserved	60,902	60,903	60,921	60,974	60,988
Unoccupied and not reserved	80,317	79,912	81,047	79,942	80,077
TOTAL	332,979	332,979	332,979	332,979	332,979

TABLE 36.—AREA OF ABORIGINAL RESERVES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
30 JUNE 1968(a)

Reserve	Area	Reserve	Area
	Sq miles		Sq miles
Arnhem Land(b)	37,167	Yuendumu	850
Daly River	5,200	R1028(c)	44,800
Bathurst Island	800	Jay Creek	116
Melville Island	2,200	Larrakeyah	14
Hooker Creek	845	Woolwonga	162
Beswick	1,315	Wagait	555
Darwin (Bagot)	57 acres	Warrabri	170
Amoonguna	2	TOTAL AREA	94,196

(a) Data supplied by the Department of Territories.

(b) Arnhem Land Reserve includes former Groot

Eylandt Reserve.

(c) Comprises areas locally designated Lake Mackay Reserve, Haasts Bluff Reserve and Petermanns Reserve.

TABLE 37.—RURAL HOLDINGS: NUMBER, AREA AND UTILISATION
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

		1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Number		299	307	305	304	305
Area—Used for crops(a)	'000 acres	2	4	4	4	(b) 6
Balance of holdings	'000 acres	165,732	171,478	175,858	170,014	174,379
TOTAL AREA ..	'000 acres	165,734	171,482	175,862	170,018	174,385

(a) Excludes rice prior to 1967-68, for which details are not available for publication; see Table 43 for details of other crops.

(b) Excludes sorghum, for which details are not available for publication.

TABLE 38.—RURAL HOLDINGS: NUMBER AND AREA, DISTRICTS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

Year	Darwin and Gulf	Victoria River	Barkly Tableland	Alice Springs	Total
NUMBER OF RURAL HOLDINGS					
1963-64	145	23	34	97	299
1964-65	150	23	33	101	307
1965-66	153	22	32	98	305
1966-67	156	25	30	93	304
1967-68	150	26	30	99	305
AREA OF RURAL HOLDINGS ('000 acres)					
1963-64	34,175	31,491	43,948	56,120	165,734
1964-65	36,120	29,916	44,889	60,557	171,482
1965-66	39,727	29,160	45,482	61,493	175,862
1966-67	39,065	32,591	40,471	57,890	170,018
1967-68	39,847	33,438	40,577	60,523	174,385

TABLE 39.—LIVESTOCK NUMBERS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968
('000)

Type	30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Cattle	1,105	1,067	1,032	1,097	1,130
Horses	38	36	37	38	38
Sheep	10	9	9	8	9
Pigs	2	2	2	3	2

TABLE 40.—CATTLE NUMBERS: DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1964 TO 1968
('000)

District	30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Darwin and Gulf ..	206	212	189	207	201
Victoria River ..	334	303	301	301	331
Barkly Tableland ..	383	413	419	439	425
Alice Springs ..	182	139	123	149	173
TOTAL	1,105	1,067	1,032	1,097	1,130

TABLE 41.—INTERSTATE AND OVERSEAS EXPORTS OF CATTLE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68
('000)

Destination	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Interstate—					
Queensland ..	66	39	73	50	67
South Australia ..	35	39	33	21	26
Western Australia ..	4	8	5	4	3
Total ..	105	86	111	76	95
Overseas ..	3	..	..	..	..
GRAND TOTAL ..	108	86	111	76	95

(a) As recorded by the Department of Territories.

TABLE 42.—AREA OF CROPS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963-64 TO 1967-68
(Acres)

Crop	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Fruit—Bananas ..	43	28	20	29	(b)
Pineapples ..	23	19	12	17	(b)
Other ..	83	83	78	87	98
Total ..	149	130	110	133	98
Peanuts ..	(b)	(b)	16	(b)	12
Sorghum for grain ..	527	1,269	1,093	527	(c)
Vegetables for human consumption ..	133	150	144	218	199
Other crops(d) ..	1,680	2,687	2,699	2,747	5,691
GRAND TOTAL ..	2,489	4,236	4,062	3,625	6,000

(a) Excludes rice prior to 1967-68, for which details are not available for publication. (b) Not available for publication, included in other crops. (c) Not available for publication, excluded from totals. (d) Principally fodder crops.

TABLE 43.—PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

Crop	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Fruit—Bananas ..	bushels	2,174	2,448	1,985	1,684
Pineapples ..	bushels	943	1,142	990	997
Peanuts ..	cwt	(a)	(a)	76	(a)
Sorghum (grain) ..	bushels	6,210	10,693	12,018	7,533

(a) Not available for publication.

TABLE 44.—FISHING AND PEARLING: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963-64 TO 1967-68

		1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
General fisheries—						
Boats engaged ..	No.	30	28	43	60	53
Men employed ..	No.	54	69	120	133	123
Landed weight of fish catch ..	'000 lb	249	290	346	550	555
Gross value of fish ..	\$'000	45	55	57	73	92
Pearl-shell fisheries(a)—						
Boats engaged ..	No.	2	2	3	3	3
Men employed ..	No.	23	22	37	36	36
Total take of pearl-shell ..	tons	4.9	5.4	8.9	16.6	4.8
Gross value of pearl-shell ..	\$'000	2	2	4	7	(b)1

(a) Source: Department of Primary Industry. Excludes operations of Japanese pearl fleet. Season ended January of years shown. (b) Estimated.

TABLE 45.—MINING AND QUARRYING: SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1967

(Excluding uranium mining)

		1964	1965	1966	1967
Number of mines and quarries ..	No.	84	67	80	74
Average number of persons employed during whole year (including working proprietors) ..	No.	585	688	814	1,006
Salaries and wages paid(a)(b) ..	\$'000	2,138	2,867	3,361	4,609
Total fuel, materials, etc., used ..	"	1,727	2,571	2,212	2,901
Value of output (at mine or quarry) ..	"	7,233	8,287	13,283	19,316
Value of production(c) ..	"	5,507	5,715	11,070	16,416
Value of additions and replacements to fixed assets(a) ..	"	2,866	5,677	7,282	5,195

(a) Excludes mines employing less than four persons. (b) Excludes drawings by working proprietors; the amounts are net after deducting value of explosives sold to employees. (c) Value of output less cost of power, fuel and light and other materials and stores used; depreciation and maintenance costs have not been deducted.

TABLE 46.—QUANTITIES OF MINERALS PRODUCED: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963 TO 1967
(Excluding uranium)

Mineral		1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
Metallic minerals—						
Bismuth concentrate	tons	..	..	..	..	106
Copper ore, including cupreous ore for fertiliser .. ..	”	..	..	11	466	1,070
Copper concentrate	”	29,313	39,398	39,439	39,253	34,855
Copper precipitate	”	..	1	67	511	442
Gold bullion	f oz	61,723	66,566	70,268	66,331	59,999
Iron ore	tons	..	..	..	..	313,838
Lead ore, concentrate, etc.	”	..	11	11	89	2,315
Manganese ore, other grade	”	479	366	424	549	338
Manganese ore, metallurgical grade .. ..	”	..	..	..	123,252	364,535
Tantalite-columbite concentrate	lb	..	..	291	..	269
Tin concentrate	tons	62	50	49	53	95
Tungsten (wolfram) concentrate .. ..	”	..	..	..	..	4
Zinc concentrate .. ..	”	..	..	..	28	3,956
Non-metallic minerals—						
Mica (muscovite)—						
Crude and film .. ..	..	'000 lb	(a) 16	(a) 32	..	..
Salt .. ..	..	tons	..	60	50	..

(a) Includes scrap mica.

TABLE 47.—CONTENTS OF METALLIC MINERALS PRODUCED NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963 TO 1967
(Excluding uranium)

Contents of metallic minerals produced		1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
Bismuth						
Bismuth	tons	..	..	..	..	12
Cadmium						
Cadmium .. ..	”	..	..	..	..	12
Copper						
Copper	”	7,147	9,278	8,951	9,800	8,953
Gold						
Gold	f oz	80,023	81,165	82,539	84,141	76,568
Iron						
Iron	tons	..	..	..	..	200,680
Lead						
Lead	”	..	7	4	22	1,345
Manganese						
Manganese .. ..	”	..	..	..	58,132	169,301
Manganese dioxide (MnO_2)						
Manganese dioxide (MnO_2)	”	120	223	285	356	207
Silver						
Silver	f oz	90,956	98,069	85,556	81,241	275,210
Tantalite-columbite						
Tantalite-columbite	lb	..	..	134	..	179
Tin						
Tin	tons	35	28	28	32	60
Tungstic oxide (WO_3)						
Tungstic oxide (WO_3)	units	..	..	..	..	270
Zinc						
Zinc	tons	..	..	..	12	1,937

TABLE 48.—GROSS, LOCAL AND NET VALUE OF PRIMARY PRODUCTION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 AND 1967-68
(\$'000)

			Gross value of production	Marketing costs	Local value of production	Value of materials used in process of production	Net value of production
1966-67—							
Rural industries..	..	..	11,652	1,729	9,923	n.a.	9,923
Non-rural industries	..	..	13,747	n.a.	13,747	2,212	11,536
TOTAL, PRIMARY, 1966-67	..		25,399	1,729	23,670	2,212	21,457
1967-68p—							
Rural industries—							
Agriculture ..	..	..	653	n.a.	(b) 653	n.a.	(b) 653
Pastoral ..	..	..	14,235	2,060	12,175	n.a.	(c) 12,175
Dairying ..	..	..	112	2	110	n.a.	(c) 110
Poultry ..	..	..	257	n.a.	(b) 257	n.a.	(b) 257
Bee-farming ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, rural ..	..	..	15,257	2,062	13,195	n.a.	13,195
Non-rural industries—							
Trapping ..	..	..	52	n.a.	(b) 52	n.a.	(b) 52
Forestry ..	..	..	300	n.a.	(b) 300	n.a.	(b) 300
Fisheries ..	..	..	201	n.a.	(b) 201	n.a.	(b) 201
Mining and Quarrying(d)	..		(c) 19,316	n.a.	19,316	2,901	16,415
Total, non-rural ..	..	..	19,869	n.a.	19,869	2,901	16,968
TOTAL, PRIMARY, 1967-68 ..	..		35,126	2,062	33,064	2,901	30,163

(a) For a description of terms, sources, methods of calculation and qualification associated with these estimates, see the Bulletin: *Value of Production*. (b) Gross value of production. (c) Local value of production.
(d) Year ended 31 December 1967.

TABLE 49.—NET VALUE OF PRIMARY PRODUCTION
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68
(\$'000)

Industry	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68p
Agriculture ..	169	222	225	354	653
Pastoral ..	6,890	5,372	9,742	9,256	12,175
Dairying ..	78	96	92	113	110
Poultry ..	190	237	216	200	257
Bee-farming ..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, rural ..	7,327	5,927	10,275	9,923	13,195
Trapping ..	276	82	68	79	52
Forestry ..	268	276	358	303	300
Fisheries ..	52	71	61	82	107
Mining and quarrying(a)	5,086	5,506	5,715	11,070	16,415
Total, non-rural ..	5,682	5,935	6,202	11,536	16,968
TOTAL, PRIMARY ..	13,009	11,862	16,477	21,457	30,163

(a) Year ended 31 December of first year shown.

TABLE 50.—FACTORIES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1962-63 TO 1966-67

For statistical purposes a 'factory' is defined as an establishment in which four or more persons are employed or where power (other than manual) is used in any manufacturing process.

	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Factories	141	139	174	185	187
Average number employed (including working proprietors)(a)—					
Males	878	978	1,098	1,182	1,308
Females	89	97	112	112	115
Total	967	1,075	1,210	1,294	1,423
Salaries and wages paid (excluding drawings by working proprietors)—	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Males	2,145	2,628	3,298	3,666	4,146
Females	130	142	185	192	203
Total	2,275	2,770	3,483	3,859	4,349
Value of power, fuel, light, etc.(b), used	559	735	865	856	946
Value of materials(c) used	2,876	3,204	4,550	5,497	7,214
Value of production(d)	4,493	5,118	6,654	7,103	7,847
Value of output(e)	7,928	9,057	12,068	13,456	16,007
Depreciated or book values(f) at end of year—					
Land and buildings	3,304	4,586	5,668	6,100	6,482
Plant and machinery	6,339	6,046	6,103	5,953	6,825

(a) The aggregate of the average number of persons employed in each factory. Figures represent average employment over the whole year. (b) Includes water and lubricating oil. (c) Includes also containers, etc., tools replaced and repairs to plant. (d) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and power, fuel, light, etc., used). (e) Value of goods produced including amounts received for repair work and other work done. (f) Includes estimated value of rented premises and machinery.

TABLE 51.—NUMBER AND VALUE OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS AND
VALUE OF OTHER NEW BUILDINGS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1954-55 TO 1967-68

Year	New houses and flats		Other new buildings Value \$'000	Total new buildings Value \$'000
	Number	Value \$'000		

COMMENCED

1954-55	..	..	249	2,000	1,210	3,210
1955-56	..	..	341	2,828	1,772	4,600
1956-57	..	..	251	2,044	1,486	3,530
1957-58	..	..	311	2,748	1,770	4,518
1958-59	..	..	334	2,710	1,764	4,474
1959-60	..	..	426	3,192	2,364	5,556
1960-61	..	..	415	3,456	5,412	8,868
1961-62	..	..	489	4,044	3,920	7,964
1962-63	..	..	382	3,484	4,762	8,246
1963-64	..	..	558	5,010	5,154	10,164
1964-65	..	..	753	7,312	5,828	13,140
1965-66	..	..	630	6,250	9,155	15,405
1966-67	..	..	874	8,841	8,966	17,807
1967-68	..	..	1,068	11,558	14,138	25,696

COMPLETED

1954-55	..	..	199	1,674	1,632	3,306
1955-56	..	..	312	2,490	1,380	3,870
1956-57	..	..	328	2,756	1,814	4,570
1957-58	..	..	275	2,402	1,818	4,220
1958-59	..	..	356	3,032	2,144	5,176
1959-60	..	..	341	2,764	2,358	5,122
1960-61	..	..	403	3,198	3,038	6,236
1961-62	..	..	396	3,564	3,442	7,006
1962-63	..	..	491	4,150	4,722	8,872
1963-64	..	..	336	3,292	4,670	7,962
1964-65	..	..	610	5,464	6,320	11,784
1965-66	..	..	782	7,618	4,447	12,065
1966-67	..	..	484	5,183	8,060	13,243
1967-68	..	..	910	9,523	10,772	20,295

For footnote see end of table.

TABLE 51.—NUMBER AND VALUE OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS AND
VALUE OF OTHER NEW BUILDINGS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1954-55 TO 1967-68—continued

Year	New houses and flats		Other new buildings Value \$'000	Total new buildings Value \$'000
	Number	Value \$'000		

UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF YEAR

1954-55	..	..	211	1,692	1,454	3,146
1955-56	..	..	240	2,038	1,896	3,934
1956-57	..	..	163	1,392	1,718	3,110
1957-58	..	..	199	1,718	1,772	3,490
1958-59	..	..	177	1,508	1,934	3,442
1959-60	..	..	262	2,016	1,980	3,996
1960-61	..	..	274	2,444	4,376	6,820
1961-62	..	..	367	2,960	4,896	7,856
1962-63	..	..	258	2,386	4,968	7,354
1963-64	..	..	480	4,180	5,590	9,770
1964-65	..	..	623	5,962	5,292	11,254
1965-66	..	..	471	4,809	10,007	14,816
1966-67	..	..	861	8,614	11,197	19,811
1967-68	..	..	1,019	10,823	14,382	25,205

WORK DONE DURING YEAR(b)

1957-58	..	..	..	2,564	1,932	4,496
1958-59	..	..	..	2,928	2,472	5,400
1959-60	..	..	..	3,018	2,240	5,258
1960-61	..	..	..	3,388	4,034	7,422
1961-62	..	..	..	3,736	4,152	7,888
1962-63	..	..	..	3,938	3,906	7,844
1963-64	..	..	..	3,934	5,498	9,432
1964-65	..	..	..	6,102	5,676	11,778
1965-66	..	..	..	6,855	6,894	13,749
1966-67	..	..	..	7,454	9,181	16,635
1967-68	..	..	..	10,909	11,601	22,510

(a) The statistics shown are based on returns received from government authorities, contractors and owner-builders who undertake the erection of new buildings. Details obtained from government authorities and building contractors refer to all areas. Details for owner-builders cover only proclaimed health areas. Figures for houses exclude temporary dwellings, dwellings attached to other buildings, sheds, huts, etc. Each flat is counted as an individual living unit. Minor additions and alterations, renovations and repairs are excluded. Prior to 1 July 1966, additions of \$10,000 and over to existing buildings are included with new buildings. From 1 July 1966, alterations and/or additions of \$10,000 and over are included with new buildings. The values of new buildings exclude the value of land and represent the estimated value of buildings on completion. (b) The values shown represent the estimated value of work carried out on buildings during the year. For any building the sum of these values obtained during its construction equals the value of the building on completion. Details not available for years prior to 1957-58.

TABLE 52.—VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS, BY TYPE OF BUILDING(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

(\$'000)

Type of building	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
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COMMENCED

Houses and flats	5,010	7,312	6,250	8,841	11,558
Hotels, hostels, etc.	856	342	1,890	1,413	1,929
Shops	236	134	171	356	449
Factories	522	376	507	862	909
Offices	230	234	1,270	792	2,674
Other business premises	530	602	368	2,161	1,061
Education	790	1,806	456	620	2,991
Religious	66	38	184	84	277
Health	656	1,372	2,423	399	761
Entertainment and recreation	212	186	235	50	215
Miscellaneous	1,056	738	1,651	2,229	2,872
TOTAL	10,164	13,140	15,405	17,807	25,696

COMPLETED

Houses and flats	3,292	5,464	7,618	5,183	9,523
Hotels, hostels, etc.	262	1,146	627	1,974	1,010
Shops	198	216	256	181	484
Factories	1,466	370	293	762	989
Offices	296	1,502	251	329	1,120
Other business premises	442	638	531	397	2,045
Education	486	254	833	1,240	1,021
Religious	40	46	48	172	154
Health	392	1,024	383	1,082	2,829
Entertainment and recreation	188	280	165	56	228
Miscellaneous	900	844	1,060	1,867	892
TOTAL	7,962	11,784	12,065	13,243	20,295

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 51.

TABLE 52.—VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS, BY TYPE OF BUILDING(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68—continued
(\$'000)

Type of building	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF YEAR					
Houses and flats	4,180	5,962	4,809
Hotels, hostels, etc.	832	92	1,384
Shops	272	202	141
Factories..	206	188	378
Offices	1,464	220	1,236
Other business premises	402	380	223
Education	378	1,938	1,556
Religious	26	20	144
Health	998	1,350	3,394
Entertainment and recreation	272	190	253
Miscellaneous	740	712	1,298
TOTAL	9,770	11,254	14,816
					19,811
					25,205

WORK DONE DURING YEAR(b)

Houses and flats ..	..	..	3,934	6,102	6,855	7,454	10,909
Hotels, hostels, etc.	..	..	586	714	1,229	1,816	1,425
Shops ..	..	..	160	246	247	275	377
Factories..	..	..	1,062	308	507	679	1,016
Offices ..	..	..	1,020	736	248	912	1,953
Other business premises	..	..	506	652	419	1,019	2,247
Education ..	..	..	524	912	1,281	734	1,124
Religious ..	..	..	64	26	132	146	174
Health ..	..	..	506	788	1,409	1,863	794
Entertainment and recreation	..	..	264	170	171	69	199
Miscellaneous ..	..	..	806	1,124	1,251	1,668	2,292
TOTAL	..	..	9,432	11,778	13,749	16,635	22,510

(a), (b) See footnotes (a) and (b) to Table 51.

TABLE 53.—NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS FOR GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES AND PRIVATE OWNERSHIP(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY 1957-58 TO 1967-68

Year	Built by or for government authorities(b)	Contract-built for private persons	Owner-built(c)	Total
COMMENCED				
1957-58	150	77	84	311
1958-59	154	103	77	334
1959-60	199	122	105	426
1960-61	219	102	94	415
1961-62	295	116	78	489
1962-63	253	82	47	382
1963-64	408	104	46	558
1964-65	550	119	84	753
1965-66	471	77	82	630
1966-67	622	106	146	874
1967-68	715	173	180	1,068
COMPLETED				
1957-58	137	64	74	275
1958-59	169	101	86	356
1959-60	146	116	79	341
1960-61	178	108	117	403
1961-62	252	85	59	396
1962-63	325	104	62	491
1963-64	181	93	62	336
1964-65	440	108	62	610
1965-66	626	95	61	782
1966-67	246	88	150	484
1967-68	613	160	137	910
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF YEAR				
1957-58	81	40	78	199
1958-59	66	42	69	177
1959-60	119	48	95	262
1960-61	160	42	72	274
1961-62	203	73	91	367
1962-63	131	51	76	258
1963-64	358	62	60	480
1964-65	468	73	82	623
1965-66	313	55	103	471
1966-67	689	73	99	861
1967-68	791	86	142	1,019

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 51. (b) Includes houses and flats erected by or for government authorities for their own use, for rental, or for sale after completion. Houses erected for particular persons under government-sponsored home building schemes or with government financial assistance are classified as 'Private'. (c) For the purposes of this table, an 'Owner-built' house is one erected or being erected by the owner or under the owner's direction without the services of a contractor who is responsible for the whole job.

TABLE 54.—NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS COMPLETED(a)
GREATER DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS AND OTHER RECORDED AREAS
1957-58 TO 1967-68

Year	Darwin(b)	Alice Springs	Other recorded areas	Total
1957-58	208	67		275
1958-59	232	124		356
1959-60	233	108		341
1960-61	281	85	37	403
1961-62	295	85	16	396
1962-63	358	96	37	491
1963-64	217	70	49	336
1964-65	439	107	64	610
1965-66	513	67	202	782
1966-67	273	54	157	484
1967-68	563	157	190	910

(a) See footnote (a), to Table 51. (b) Area as defined in the Schedule to the *Darwin Acquisition Act* 1945.

TABLE 55.—NUMBER OF PERSONS WORKING ON JOBS CARRIED OUT BY
BUILDERS OF NEW BUILDINGS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963 TO 1968
(Excluding persons working on owner-built houses)

Classification	End of June—					
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Contractors	63	81	87	76	65	92
Sub-contractors	112	154	187	212	190	339
Wage earners	403	667	718	575	799	1,135
TOTAL	578	902	992	863	1,054	1,566
Carpenters	179	257	316	296	265	433
Bricklayers	72	143	137	100	90	141
Painters	57	72	87	63	82	114
Electricians	56	72	68	63	71	111
Plumbers	59	79	101	92	93	140
Builders' labourers	87	197	168	144	224	352
Other	68	82	115	105	229	275
TOTAL	578	902	992	863	1,054	1,566
New houses and flats	319	389	566	490	490	759
Repairs and maintenance .. ..	..	1	8	5	1	14
Other building work	259	512	418	368	563	793
TOTAL	578	902	992	863	1,054	1,566

(a) Figures relate to persons working on the jobs of contractors who undertake the erection of new buildings and government instrumentalities which erect new buildings on their own account. They include persons engaged on alterations, additions, repairs and maintenance when these jobs are undertaken by such contractors and instrumentalities. The figures include working principals and their employees, men working as or for sub-contractors, and men temporarily laid off on account of weather, but exclude persons working on owner-built houses.

TABLE 56.—NUMBER OF RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1961-62 AND 1963-64 TO 1967-68

Type of business	1961-62	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66(b)	1966-67(b)	1967-68
Food stores—						
Grocers	60	53	55	58	58	56
Butchers	13	13	14	14	15	16
Fruiterers and bakers ..	13	14	13	13	14	15
Confectioners and milk bars, cafés, fishmongers, poulterers, and other	33	43	47	50	51	57
Hotels, tobacconists, etc.—						
Hotels, wine saloons, etc. ..	31	35	38	43	47	52
Tobacconists, tobacconist and hairdressers	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Department stores, clothiers, drapers, etc.—						
Department stores .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Clothiers and drapers	41	46	49	48	52	51
Footwear stores	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Hardware, electrical goods, furniture stores, etc.—						
Domestic hardware stores	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	8	8
Electrical goods, radios and musical instruments stores	14	17	14	15	16	18
Furniture and floor coverings stores	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Other goods stores—						
Chemists	7	9	9	9	10	10
Newsagents and booksellers	10	12	10	10	10	11
Other types of business(d)	20	29	30	33	38	45
Total (excluding motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.)	257	288	295	314	332	354
Motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.	52	62	64	64	72	86
GRAND TOTAL	309	350	359	378	404	440

(a) Figures for each year refer to establishments with total sales of \$1,000 or more. (b) Some figures have been revised since previous publication. (c) Not available for publication. (d) Includes sports goods stores, watchmakers and jewellers, cycle stores, florists and nurserymen, etc.

TABLE 57.—VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS(a)(b): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1961-62 AND 1963-64 TO 1967-68
(\$'000)

Type of business	1961-62	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66(c)	1966-67(c)	1967-68
Food stores—						
Grocers	6,156	7,728	8,004	9,600	11,486	13,258
Butchers	1,012	1,254	1,526	1,639	2,162	2,754
Fruiterers and bakers ..	672	850	682	688	701	709
Confectioners and milk bars, cafés, fishmongers, poulterers, and other	530	882	1,152	1,232	1,455	1,772
Hotels, tobacconists, etc.—						
Hotels, wine saloons, etc.	3,100	3,708	4,073	4,611	4,949	5,918
Tobacconists, tobacconist and hairdressers	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Department stores, clothiers, drapers, etc.—						
Department stores .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Clothiers and drapers	1,586	1,650	1,994	2,078	2,401	2,585
Footwear stores	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Hardware, electrical goods, furniture stores, etc.—						
Domestic hardware stores	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	664	867
Electrical goods, radios and musical instrument stores	712	1,056	1,200	1,078	1,278	1,705
Furniture and floor coverings stores	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Other goods stores—						
Chemists	522	658	697	786	876	1,052
Newsagents and booksellers	366	550	514	587	625	850
Other types of business(e)	568	866	948	1,183	1,450	1,876
Total (excluding motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.)	15,950	19,624	21,836	24,882	28,852	34,340
Motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.	5,720	8,232	8,808	9,448	11,159	16,573
GRAND TOTAL	21,670	27,856	30,644	34,330	40,011	50,913

(a) Figures for each year refer to establishments with total retail sales of \$1,000 or more. (b) These figures refer to the *total* value of *all* commodities sold by retail by establishments classified to the types of business shown. (c) Some figures have been revised since previous publication. (d) Not available for publication. (e) Includes sports goods stores, watchmakers and jewellers, cycle stores, florists and nurserymen, etc.

TABLE 58.—OVERSEAS TRADE: TOTAL RECORDED IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY COMMODITY DIVISION, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 AND 1967-68

(\$ f.o.b. port of shipment)

Section and division	Imports		Exports	
	1966-67	1967-68p	1966-67	1967-68p
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS—				
00 Live animals	40	3,493,272	4,999,024
01 Meat and meat preparations	16	..
02 Dairy products and eggs	985	2,933	21
03 Fish and fish preparations	935	574	5
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	6,546	15,936	784
05 Fruit and vegetables
06 Sugar and sugar preparations and honey
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	147	294	..
08 Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	81,565	102,427
09 Miscellaneous preparations chiefly for food	414	736	40
Total Section 0	9,067	20,473	3,574,937
				5,121,747
1 BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO—				
11 Beverages	11,001	7,026	11
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	25	263	1
Total Section 1	11,026	7,289	12
				1,198
2 CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS—				
21 Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	225,426	134,243
22 Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)
24 Wood, timber and cork	204,317	257,329	..
25 Pulp and waste paper	6,051
26 Textile fibres and their waste	25	..	..
27 Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)	77,882	491,175	30
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	29	4,258,101
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	180	70	9,267,542
Total Section 2	282,404	748,603	33,586
				41,931
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS—				
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	2,326,574	3,009,750	19,482
33 Petroleum and petroleum products	3,774	25,439
34 Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons
Total Section 3	2,326,574	3,013,524	19,482
				25,439
4 ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS—				
41 Animal oils and fats	74,760
42 Fixed vegetable oils and fats	1,086	1,315	..
43 Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed, and waxes of animal or vegetable origin
Total Section 4	1,086	1,315	74,760
				53,493

TABLE 58.—OVERSEAS TRADE: TOTAL RECORDED IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY COMMODITY DIVISION, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 AND 1967-68—*continued*

(\$ f.o.b. port of shipment)

Section and division	Imports		Exports	
	1966-67	1967-68p	1966-67	1967-68p
5 CHEMICALS—				
51 Chemical elements and compounds	6,798	93,364	7	..
52 Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas		665	..	..
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	8	..	24	..
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	87	735	796	2,436
55 Essential oils and perfume materials, toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	1,797	1,803	2	..
56 Fertilisers, manufactured	5,196	13,064	..	..
57 Explosives and pyrotechnic products	77,123	355,640	..	..
58 Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins	449	9,645	..	529
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	1,904	20,00	9	..
Total Section 5	93,362	476,916	838	2,963
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL—				
61 Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s. and dressed fur skins	9	334	180	2,280
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	24,078	55,121	9	196
63 Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	24,640	47,194	48	12,656
64 Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	979	16,514	45	288
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	11,337	17,764	921	2,276
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	335,964	405,188	237,914	436,268
67 Iron and steel	2,698	1,195,108	3,040	2,169
68 Non-ferrous metals	20	541	236,770	312,610
69 Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	15,916	59,147	4,681	88,730
Total Section 6	415,641	1,796,911	483,608	857,473
7 MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT—				
71 Machinery, other than electric	1,036,309	420,623	185,161	86,496
72 Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	1,959,172	979,439	37,615	1,736,416
73 Transport equipment (including warships, and military aircraft)	918,155	975,454	14,284	43,711
Total Section 7	3,913,636	2,375,516	237,060	1,866,623
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES—				
81 Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings	96	152	12	..
82 Furniture	10,821	6,396	280	578
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	212	715	..	..
84 Clothing and clothing accessories and articles of knitted or crocheted fabric	370	2,504	80	47
85 Footwear, gaiters, and similar articles and parts therefor	901	1,171	..	145
86 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments, photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	21,310	22,521	6,382	3,586
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	14,502	20,637	4,487	5,537
Total Section 8	48,212	54,096	11,241	9,893
9A Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind	169,265	142,153	12,772	299,273
TOTAL MERCHANTISE TRADE	7,270,273	8,636,796	8,931,853	17,688,841
9B Non-merchandise (including gold bullion and specie) .. .	115,575	770,088	36,405	165,704
TOTAL TRADE	7,385,848	9,406,884	8,968,258	17,854,545

TABLE 59.—OVERSEAS TRADE: IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ITEMS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 AND 1967-68

(\$ f.o.b. port of shipment)

Reference number	Description	1966-67		1967-68p	
		Quantity	Value (\$)	Quantity	Value (\$)
IMPORTS					
243.31.19	Timber, sawn lengthwise, etc.—non-conifer '000 sup ft	1,968	182,598	2,266	206,233
274.10.01	Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites .. tons	2,000	70,270	13,822	486,256
331.02.09	Oils for use as refinery feed stock .. '000 gal	1,701	91,623	2,229	137,367
Petroleum products—					
332.10.01	Automotive spirit "	4,773	542,432	5,083	587,150
10.02	Aviation gasoline "	1,622	277,476	1,223	215,854
20.02	Aviation kerosene "	5,534	614,820	9,775	1,098,721
30.02	Automotive distillate "	4,595	387,056	3,556	285,357
30.05	Industrial diesel fuel .. .. .. "	..	..	2,631	212,073
40.01	Furnace fuel "	7,947	392,790	9,227	472,521
571.12.00	Prepared explosives .. .. .. ..	..	67,973	..	250,769
661.20.01	Portland cement, grey tons	21,327	311,380	23,841	369,999
676.20.09	Railway construction material .. .. .. ..	..	..	10,304	1,187,020
711.32.05	Steam turbines (parts) .. .. .. ..	..	754,332	..	2,877
719.31.53	Loaders and unloaders No.	..	..	1	256,801
723.10.05	Equipment for distributing electricity cwt	..	..	9,396	187,989
724.99	Telecommunications equipment .. .. .. ..	..	1,883,163	..	679,278
732.10.05	Motor cars, assembled, new No.	174	158,642	262	216,603
732.30.02	Commercial road transport vehicles, assembled	270	360,879	300	346,707
991.00.26	Goods imported with the intention that they be re-exported .. .. .. ..	..	77,689	..	614,397
	Other goods .. .. .. ..	..	1,212,725	..	1,592,912
	TOTAL IMPORTS .. .. .. ..	..	7,385,848	..	9,406,884
EXPORTS					
Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen—					
Beef, frozen—					
011.10.05	Bone in '000 lb	358	125,447	45	15,340
011.10.07	Boneless "	9,160	3,186,058	13,854	4,848,746
Veal—					
011.10.21	Carcasses and sides "	325	110,012	..	..
211.10.02	Cattle hides, wet salted "	4,514	142,922	1,406	66,781
281.30.00	Iron ore and concentrates tons	..	..	375,135	3,052,809
Ores and concentrates—					
283.11.00	Copper "	9,381	1,512,439	6,544	774,851
283.40.00	Lead "	116	13,900	2,655	566,149
283.50.00	Zinc .. .. .. .. "	..	..	4,771	392,551
283.70.00	Manganese "	99,767	2,682,460	232,550	4,474,434
667.10	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones .. .. .. ..	..	237,914	..	430,449
682.11.01	Cement copper—unrefined cwt	6,245	236,770	9,432	311,301
724.99.03	Radio transmitters No.	1	40	14	1,706,455
	Other goods .. .. .. ..	..	720,296	..	1,214,679
	TOTAL EXPORTS .. .. .. ..	..	8,968,258	..	17,854,545

TABLE 60.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 AND 1967-68

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Customs Tariff Division or Excise Item	1966-67		1967-68p	
	Gross revenue	Net revenue	Gross revenue	Net revenue
CUSTOMS				
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco—				
(a) Spirits not falling within Tariff Item 22.08; liqueurs and other spirituous beverages; compound alcoholic preparations (known as concentrated extracts) for the manufacture of beverages, Tariff Item 22.09	11,835	11,728	17,985	17,985
(b) Remainder of Division	1,905	1,894	3,238	3,238
Mineral products—				
(a) Petroleum products falling within Tariff Items 27.10.2, 27.10.4 and 27.10.5—				
(i) Automotive spirit falling within Tariff Items 27.10.493/29 and 27.10.499/20	642,751	642,751	628,929	628,929
(ii) Other	123,083	116,222	282,999	282,594
(b) Remainder of Division	57,868	57,868	63,370	63,370
Products of the chemical and allied industries	5,248	4,979	23,266	22,634
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto and of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	48,698	48,461	70,553	70,485
Base metals and articles of base metal	7,597	7,352	23,621	23,129
Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts therefor	33,218	31,938	47,741	47,025
Vehicles, aircraft, and parts therefor; vessels and certain associated transport equipment	176,567	175,656	257,932	257,780
Other Customs revenue	53,487	52,148	79,256	75,968
Total Customs Duties	1,162,257	1,150,997	1,498,890	1,493,137
Primage	3,532	3,532	2,418	2,418
Total Customs and Primage Duties	1,165,789	1,154,529	1,501,308	1,495,555
EXCISE				
Spirits, including liqueurs, etc.	27,616	27,616	81,942	81,942
Cigars and cigarettes .....	..	..	438	438
Gasoline, n.e.i.	119,598	119,598	311,738	311,738
Aviation turbine kerosene, etc.	312,050	305,292	345,418	345,418
Other excise revenue	1,759,300	1,753,076	2,135,240	2,130,948
Total Excise	2,218,564	2,205,582	2,874,776	2,870,484
TOTAL CUSTOMS, PRIMAGE AND EXCISE DUTIES	3,384,353	3,360,111	4,376,084	4,366,039

TABLE 61.—SUMMARY OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

		1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
SHIPPING						
Overseas vessels entered	..	No. net tons	61 216,022	73 246,468	80 233,297	81 322,432
Overseas cargo—						506,827
Discharged(a)	..	tons	71,999	120,439	152,220	129,671
Shipped(a)	..	..	5,490	14,545	21,141	163,486
Interstate vessels entered	..	No. net tons	65 119,464	69 115,548	67 123,830	60 121,593
Interstate cargo—						178,992
Discharged(a)	..	tons	102,990	93,612	88,236	85,158
Shipped(a)	..	..	4,723	3,434	11,572	103,192
GOVERNMENT OMNIBUS SERVICES						
Route mileage	..	miles	29	29	32	42
Omnibus miles	..	..	402,795	483,028	625,126	688,389
Passenger journeys	..	No.	816,817	914,988	926,069	1,161,435
Gross revenue	..	\$	86,842	129,504	136,449	178,359
Working expenses	..	\$	161,984	158,518	137,033	175,975
Omnibuses	..	No.	13	18	18	19
Employees	..	..	23	25	29	32
ROADS						
Bituminous or concrete	..	miles	1,437	1,459	1,527	1,640
Gravel, crushed stone, etc.	..	..	940	1,012	1,118	1,005
Formed only	..	..	1,539	1,613	1,735	1,888
Cleared or natural surface only	..	..	7,311	7,270	7,210	7,443
Total	..	..	11,227	11,354	11,590	11,976
GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS						
Route miles(b)	..	No.	490	490	490	490
Passenger journeys(c)	..	..	733	389	327	221
Goods and livestock carried(c)	..	tons	28,749	36,024	48,597	129,234
Earnings(c)	..	\$	347,284	397,070	500,163	583,713
CIVIL AVIATION						
Traffic handled at Darwin Airport(d)—						
Domestic—						
Passengers	..	No.	34,159	38,804	49,131	57,557
Freight	..	tons(e)	1,289	1,582	1,972	1,813
International—						
Passengers	..	No.	5,066	5,491	7,091	8,038
Freight	..	tons(e)	45	28	23	31

(a) Tons weight plus tons measurement (40 cubic feet of space). (b) Includes 173 miles of Central Australia Railway from South Australian border to Alice Springs. (c) Relates to North Australia Railway only. (d) Excludes through traffic. (e) In terms of short tons (2,000 lb).

TABLE 62.—REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, BY TYPE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

Type	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Motor cars	587	670	724	867	1,207
Station wagons	455	483	448	502	574
Ambulances and hearses	4	..	..	6	1
Utilities	416	460	567	739	784
Panel vans	62	68	78	87	100
Trucks	193	196	198	334	286
Other truck-types	8	5	1	1	6
Omnibuses	6	15	6	1	8
TOTAL	1,731	1,897	2,022	2,537	2,966
Motor cycles	23	72	176	183	251

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.

TABLE 63.—REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, BY TYPE AND MAKE(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 AND 1968

Make	Motor cars (b)		Station wagons		Utilities		Panel vans		Trucks and other truck types		Omnibuses	
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
Austin	40	45	..	..	..	9	1	..	7	3	..	1
Bedford .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	60	33	..	..
Chrysler	91	122	66	110	17	28	..	..	..	..	..	..
Commer .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	7	10	8	..	1
Datsun	95	115	38	36	67	100	..	1	4	29	..	..
Dodge	2	3	..	..	27	32	..	..	19	25	..	..
Fiat	3	10	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ford	245	286	82	93	85	83	11	15	87	27	..	..
Hillman	15	16	1	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Holden	203	384	273	256	173	150	32	27	..	..	..	..
International .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	2	4	..	29	46	..	2
Land Rover .. ..	..	..	1	5	50	103	..	1	9	21	..	..
Mack .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	14	..	..
Morris	58	53	..	..	103	61	22	12	..	..	..	..
Toyota	37	55	32	41	205	158	3	13	66	48	1	..
Volkswagen	46	32	5	2	7	33	13	18	..	..	..	4
Willys .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Other Makes	38	87	3	24	4	25	..	5	16	38	..	..
TOTAL	873	1,208	502	574	739	784	87	100	335	292	1	8

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.

(b) Includes ambulances and hearses.

TABLE 64.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 1955 AND 1962

Type of vehicle	31 December—	
	1955	1962
Motor cars—		
Sedans	1,342	4,106
Open cars	199	114
Convertibles		24
Taxis, hire cars	(b)	63
Ambulances, hearses	11	14
Total motor cars	1,552	4,321
Station wagons	66	1,258
Total station wagons	66	1,258
Other motor vehicles—		
Utilities	1,645	2,806
Panel vans	82	471
Trucks—		
Table top, platform	789	950
Van-type	20	27
Tipper	265	257
Articulated, semi-trailer	73	92
Total trucks	1,147	1,326
Other truck-types—		
Tankers	47	38
Tow trucks		25
Other		10
Total other truck-types	47	73
Omnibuses—		
Minibuses, microbuses	42	35
Other		56
Total omnibuses	42	91
Total other motor vehicles	2,963	4,767
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLES (EXCLUDING MOTOR CYCLES)	4,581	10,346
Motor Cycles—		
Solo, motor scooters	460	315
Sidecar		7
Other		3
Total motor cycles	460	325
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLES	5,041	10,671

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services. (b) Included with Sedans.

TABLE 65.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1957 TO 1968

Date		Motor cars and station wagons	Utilities, panel vans, trucks(b) and omnibuses	Motor cycles	Total
30 June 1957	..	2,188	3,310	501	5,999
31 December 1957	..	2,541	3,490	517	6,548
30 June 1958	..	2,762	3,573	503	6,838
31 December 1958	..	3,095	3,683	497	7,275
30 June 1959	..	3,129	3,772	478	7,379
31 December 1959	..	3,451	3,860	431	7,742
30 June 1960	..	3,847	4,034	424	8,305
31 December 1960	..	4,183	4,148	397	8,728
30 June 1961	..	4,577	4,346	366	9,289
31 December 1961	..	4,926	4,474	337	9,737
30 June 1962	..	5,184	4,602	326	10,112
31 December 1962	..	5,579	4,767	325	10,671
30 June 1963	..	5,939	4,901	351	11,191
31 December 1963	..	6,647	5,341	353	12,341
30 June 1964	..	7,283	5,642	349	13,274
31 December 1964	..	7,706	5,733	305	13,744
30 June 1965	..	8,043	5,741	292	14,076
31 December 1965	..	8,576	5,884	324	14,784
30 June 1966	..	9,274	5,869	406	15,549
31 December 1966	..	9,722	6,023	466	16,211
30 June 1967	..	10,196	6,320	530	17,046
31 December 1967	..	11,051	6,816	596	18,463
30 June 1968	..	12,149	7,259	707	20,115

(a) Series revised in accordance with the results of the Census of Motor Vehicles, 31 December 1962. Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.

(b) Includes Other truck-types.

TABLE 66.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE OF VEHICLE AND LOCATION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 31 DECEMBER 1962

Location(a)	Motor cars	Station wagons	Utilities	Panel vans	Trucks	Other truck-types	Omnibuses	Motor cycles	Total
Darwin ..	2,993	709	1,133	282	369	31	34	232	5,783
Katherine ..	100	26	76	11	34	2	1	10	260
Tennant Creek ..	127	52	83	15	40	3	2	7	329
Alice Springs ..	661	200	476	65	241	17	25	41	1,726
Remainder of the Territory ..	362	195	572	48	331	7	8	26	1,549
Not specified(b) ..	78	76	466	50	311	13	21	9	1,024
TOTAL ..	4,321	1,258	2,806	471	1,326	73	91	325	10,671

(a) Address shown on the registration certificate. Excludes vehicles belonging to the defence services. (b) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory registered with the Commonwealth Registry, Canberra.

TABLE 67.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER(a), BY TYPE OF VEHICLE AND YEAR OF MODEL: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 31 DECEMBER 1962

Type of vehicle		Year of model										Total	
		Before 1953	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	
Motor cars	No.	728	157	257	285	359	362	369	413	572	393	426	4,321
	%	16.8	3.6	6.0	6.6	8.3	8.4	8.5	9.6	13.2	9.1	9.9	100.0
Station wagons	No.	17	8	13	8	17	49	148	221	267	252	258	1,258
	%	1.3	0.7	1.0	0.7	1.3	3.9	11.8	17.6	21.2	20.0	20.5	100.0
Utilities	No.	452	137	193	141	236	217	269	248	345	281	287	2,806
	%	16.2	4.9	6.9	5.0	8.4	7.7	9.6	8.8	12.3	10.0	10.2	100.0
Panel vans	No.	22	3	19	27	51	54	63	49	76	63	44	471
	%	4.7	0.6	4.0	5.7	10.8	11.5	13.4	10.4	16.1	13.4	9.4	100.0
Trucks	No.	328	39	62	65	132	110	96	97	115	170	112	1,326
	%	24.8	2.9	4.7	4.9	10.0	8.3	7.2	7.3	8.7	12.8	8.4	100.0
Other truck-types	No.	29	2	5	6	5	4	1	5	6	10	..	73
	%	39.8	2.8	6.8	8.2	6.8	5.5	1.4	6.8	8.2	13.7	..	100.0
Omnibuses	No.	19	..	3	3	5	4	5	12	12	14	14	91
	%	20.8	..	3.3	3.3	5.5	4.4	5.5	13.2	13.2	15.4	15.4	100.0
Motor cycles	No.	41	10	17	21	26	19	42	36	39	19	55	325
	%	12.7	3.1	5.2	6.5	8.0	5.8	12.9	11.1	12.0	5.8	16.9	100.0
TOTAL	No.	1,636	356	569	556	831	819	993	1,081	1,432	1,202	1,196	10,671
	%	15.3	3.4	5.3	5.2	7.8	7.7	9.3	10.1	13.4	11.3	11.2	100.0

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.

TABLE 68.—MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION, ETC. GROSS REVENUE, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

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		1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Vehicles' registration and motor tax		165,686	183,084	202,959	234,066	280,916
Drivers' and riders' etc. licences	..	26,000	28,998	33,340	36,322	40,373
Miscellaneous	..	2,880	3,810	3,319	6,960	4,765
TOTAL	..	194,566	215,892	239,618	277,347	326,054

**TABLE 69.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1968**

Area	Number of accidents			Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
City of Darwin ..	143	188	180	4	3	2	224	273	236
Other areas ..	167	171	177	30	24	16	222	268	276
TOTAL ..	310	359	357	34	27	18	446	541	512

**TABLE 70.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY
TYPE OF ROAD USER KILLED OR INJURED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1968**

Type of road user	Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
Drivers of motor vehicles ..	18	12	8	188	213	210
Motor cyclists ..	1	..	..	20	45	53
Pedal cyclists ..	..	..	..	9	18	8
Passengers (all types)(a)	13	8	5	194	221	198
Pedestrians ..	2	7	5	35	44	43
Other classes(b)	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	34	27	18	446	541	512

(a) Includes pillion-riders. (b) 'Other classes' includes Riders of Horses and Drivers of Animal-drawn Vehicles

**TABLE 71.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY
AGE OF PERSONS KILLED OR INJURED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1968**

Age group (years)	Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
Under 5 ..	1	1	1	10	25	14
5 and under 7 ..	1	..	1	10	15	16
7 and under 17 ..	..	..	1	37	41	31
17 and under 21 ..	5	2	3	79	95	93
21 and under 30 ..	9	4	7	147	181	177
30 and under 40 ..	12	8	1	86	97	88
40 and under 50 ..	4	6	..	52	44	51
50 and under 60 ..	1	3	2	17	29	23
60 and over ..	1	3	1	3	13	7
Not stated ..	..	..	1	5	1	12
TOTAL	34	27	18	446	541	512

TABLE 72.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY LOCATION: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1968

Location	Number of accidents			Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
Intersection	69	95	84	2	2	1	102	150	116
Straight road	140	166	163	15	16	9	197	214	222
Bend or curve—view open	64	49	76	10	3	5	100	76	120
Bend or curve—view obscured	17	28	29	1	2	3	18	39	49
Bridge, culvert or causeway	4	4	..	2	..	..	9	42	..
Steep hill	3	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	1
Top of hill	5	6	1	2	2	..	7	7	1
Railway level crossing	4	4	2	2	1	..	2	6	2
Other locations	4	7	1	..	1	..	5	7	1
TOTAL	310	359	357	34	27	18	446	541	512

TABLE 73.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY TIME OF OCCURRENCE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1968

Time of occurrence	Number of accidents			Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
After midnight and up to 2 a.m. ..	36	34	29	5	4	2	70	41	41
,, 2 a.m. .., 4 a.m. ..	8	10	10	1	2	2	10	11	14
,, 4 a.m. .., 6 a.m. ..	4	3	2	..	..	1	5	6	1
,, 6 a.m. .., 8 a.m. ..	9	10	14	..	1	..	11	11	22
,, 8 a.m. .., 10 a.m. ..	7	12	16	1	..	1	8	56	19
,, 10 a.m. .., 12 noon ..	16	14	26	..	..	..	23	17	39
,, 12 noon .., 2 p.m. ..	19	36	23	1	..	..	21	46	30
,, 2 p.m. .., 4 p.m. ..	27	36	33	4	4	1	30	55	53
,, 4 p.m. .., 6 p.m. ..	52	51	44	3	4	2	68	71	65
,, 6 p.m. .., 8 p.m. ..	48	61	60	10	9	3	66	104	87
,, 8 p.m. .., 10 p.m. ..	38	43	49	2	2	3	64	62	76
,, 10 p.m. .., midnight..	46	48	51	7	1	3	70	60	65
Not stated .. .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
TOTAL	310	359	357	34	27	18	446	541	512

TABLE 74.—RADIOCOMMUNICATION STATIONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

Class of station	At 30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
TRANSMITTING					
Fixed—					
Aeronautical	8	8	8	8	8
Outpost	194	184	203	224	240
Other	51	54	59	49	48
Land—					
Aeronautical	24	24	24	29	29
Base—Land mobile services	22	23	27	29	51
Coast	2	4	4	4	4
Special experimental	4	6	4	5	6
Mobile—					
Aeronautical	30	35	38	40	42
Land mobile services	245	316	365	442	556
Outpost	592	646	705	832	892
Amateur	19	17	16	23	26
Ship	17	40	27	36	35
Total stations authorised ..	1,208	1,357	1,480	1,721	1,937

TABLE 75.—BROADCASTING AND BROADCAST LISTENERS' LICENCES NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

	At 30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Broadcasting licences—					
National stations	4	4	4	4	4
Commercial stations	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL	5	5	5	5	5
Broadcast listeners' licences					
Broadcast listeners' licences ..	2,693	2,851	5,524	3,956	4,762

TABLE 76.—DISTANCES BETWEEN DARWIN AND OTHER CAPITAL CITIES OF AUSTRALIA

From Darwin to—			By sea	By air (a)	By road
			Nautical miles	Miles	Miles
Sydney	..	..	(b) 2,453	2,001	(c) 2,810
Melbourne	..	..	(b) 3,018	(d) 2,126	(d) 2,448
Brisbane	..	..	(b) 2,050	1,794	2,182
Adelaide	..	..	{ (b) 3,409 (e) 3,133	{ 1,719	1,984
Perth	..	..	(f) 1,841	1,868	2,564
Hobart	..	..	(b) 3,088	(g) 2,518	..
Canberra	..	..	..	(h) 2,151	(d) 2,737

(a) Shortest regular route. (b) Via Thursday Island. (c) Via Brisbane. (d) Via Adelaide. (e) Via Western Australia. (f) To Fremantle. (g) Via Melbourne. (h) Via Sydney

TABLE 77.—STUART HIGHWAY—DARWIN TO ALICE SPRINGS

Places	Mileage from		Places	Mileage from	
	Darwin	Alice Springs		Darwin	Alice Springs
Darwin	956	Newcastle Waters Turn Off	468
Adelaide River	..	72	884	Elliott	483
Hayes Creek	..	117	839	Renner Springs	543
'133 Mile'	..	133	823	Barkly Highway Turn Off ..	626
Pine Creek	..	157	799	Tennant Creek	643
Katherine	..	221	735	Wauchope	713
Maranboy	..	250	706	Barrow Creek	779
Mataranka	..	285	671	Ti Tree	836
Larrimah	..	333	623	Aileron	871
Daly Waters	..	387	569	Alice Springs	956
Dunmarra	..	418	538		..

**TABLE 78.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963-64 TO 1967-68**

This table represents a reclassification of identifiable receipts and expenditure relating to the Northern Territory into a National Accounts form. It covers the transactions of the Commonwealth Government in respect of the Northern Territory in the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the following trust funds: Northern Territory Government Settlements Canteens, Northern Territory Housing Commission, Northern Territory Housing Loans and Northern Territory Transport. Details of the financial transactions of the Northern Territory Port Authority and the Darwin City Council are also incorporated in this table.

Revenue derived by the Commonwealth from income taxes, customs duties, etc., levied in the Northern Territory and expenditure on items such as defence, civil aviation, railways, etc., and payments to residents from the National Welfare Fund are *not* included. Details of expenditure from the National Welfare Fund may be found in Tables 97 to 101. Details of receipts from and expenditure on other items mentioned above are not available.

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	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Receipts—					
Taxation—					
Stamp duties	42	42	53	55	74
Motor registration	188	213	237	273	321
Other	362	435	481	656	320
Interest, rent, etc.	694	758	856	963	1,228
Public enterprises income	452	426	801	1,243	1,080
Net sale of local and semi-governmental securities	418	392	227	-6	-239
Other receipts	42	-36	-267	-114	921
Net charge to Commonwealth budget	29,426	32,538	38,978	50,590	53,170
TOTAL RECEIPTS	31,624	34,768	41,367	53,659	56,875
Expenditure—					
Net current expenditure on goods and services—					
Law, order and public safety ..	412	460	524	576	677
Education	960	1,209	1,472	1,641	1,954
Public health and welfare ..	5,994	6,802	6,618	8,021	9,909
Other	7,586	8,402	10,683	12,473	13,342
Net capital expenditure on new assets and stocks—					
Roads	3,720	2,950	4,514	4,727	9,357
Housing	2,130	3,850	5,161	5,341	4,118
Other	9,680	10,016	11,780	20,374	16,617
Net purchase of existing assets ..	-122	-114	-328	-1,323	-1,571
Interest paid	80	112	118	124	466
Cash benefits	228	271	300	316	369
Subsidies	264	260	360	242	261
Net advances—					
Housing	546	110	-141	782	937
Other	146	422	301	357	438
Grants towards Private Capital Expenditure .. .. ..	..	18	5	7	..
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	31,624	34,768	41,367	53,659	56,875

TABLE 79.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE, NORTHERN TERRITORY 1963-64 TO 1967-68

The information in the following table covers identifiable transactions of the Commonwealth Consolidated Revenue Fund in relation to the administration of the Northern Territory.

Revenue derived by the Commonwealth from income taxes, customs duties, etc., levied in the Northern Territory and expenditure by the Commonwealth in the Northern Territory on such items as defence, civil aviation, railways, etc., and payments to residents from the National Welfare Fund are *not* included. Details of expenditure from the National Welfare Fund may be found in Tables 97 to 101. Details of receipts from, and expenditure on, other items mentioned above are not available.

(\$'000)

Item	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
RECEIPTS					
Rent	667	729	859	866	1,023
Rates	466	506	499	654	701
Electricity	1,794	2,091	2,476	2,737	3,074
Motor registration	188	213	237	273	321
Attorney-General's Department ..	253	269	300	339	394
Housing—Interest and principal ..	339	371	690	745	1,013
Mining	132	245	252	231	465
Harbour and wharf	115	..	..	..	308
Health	436	516	469	477	408
Miscellaneous	555	671	652	951	1,955
TOTAL	4,944	5,611	6,434	7,273	9,663
EXPENDITURE					
Capital works and services—					
Buildings, works, sites, etc. ..	7,697	8,057	10,903	15,943	13,318
Plant and equipment	1,960	2,895	1,895	3,010	3,859
Cattle roads	1,800	998	2,280	2,300	4,000
Loans for housing	1,613	2,557	2,906	2,836	3,414
Other	1,533	1,835	2,808	5,240	4,282
Other—					
Business undertakings	1,645	1,812	2,003	2,269	2,507
Aboriginal affairs(a)	2,151	2,278	2,493	2,997	3,754
Educational services(a)	1,111	1,407	1,639	1,885	3,581
Public health, recreation and charitable	3,210	3,937	4,371	5,266	6,074
Law, order and public safety ..	425	475	573	604	748
Other	11,896	12,427	14,120	16,095	17,664
Total	35,041	38,678	45,991	58,445	63,201

(a) Expenditure on Aboriginal education is included under educational services.

TABLE 80.—TRUST FUND: RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURE AND BALANCES
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967-68

(\$'000)

Fund	Balance at 1 July 1967	Year ended 30 June 1968		Balance at 30 June 1968
		Receipts	Expenditure	
Aborigines benefits	24	132	28	128
Government settlements canteen	55	..	25	29
Housing Commission	97	4,029	4,027	99
Housing loans	642	784	910	516
Transport	13	1,377	1,342	48
Total	830	6,322	6,332	820

TABLE 81.—COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX: INCOME YEAR 1965-66
(ASSESSMENT YEAR 1966-67): TAXPAYERS RESIDENT IN NORTHERN
TERRITORY, INCOME AND TAX, BY GRADE OF ACTUAL INCOME(a)

Grade of actual income(a)	Taxpayers			Actual income(a)	Taxable income	Net income tax assessed
	Males	Females	Total			
\$ \$	No.	No.	No.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
417- 599	49	55	104	54	53	1
600- 799	66	79	145	101	95	3
800- 999	84	59	143	131	110	5
1,000- 1,199	199	261	460	506	322	13
1,200- 1,399	227	275	502	655	440	22
1,400- 1,599	228	296	524	785	531	31
1,600- 1,799	282	310	592	1,005	698	47
1,800- 1,999	326	317	643	1,223	859	66
2,000- 2,199	352	348	700	1,470	1,035	88
2,200- 2,399	427	238	665	1,529	1,080	102
2,400- 2,599	463	183	646	1,613	1,139	115
2,600- 2,799	501	137	638	1,721	1,202	129
2,800- 2,999	572	106	678	1,966	1,373	159
3,000- 3,999	2,844	197	3,041	10,573	7,112	929
4,000- 5,999	2,573	120	2,693	12,701	8,626	1,449
6,000- 7,999	530	39	569	3,835	2,753	618
8,000- 9,999	164	17	181	1,588	1,268	361
10,000-19,999	104	13	117	1,529	1,291	476
20,000 and over	18	1	19	534	448	224
TOTAL	10,009	3,051	13,060	43,521	30,435	4,839

(a) 'Actual income' is defined briefly as 'Gross income including exempt income, less expenditure incurred in gaining that income.'

TABLE 82.—SALES TAX: GOODS SOLD AND TAX PAYABLE, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

An indication of fluctuations in the value of wholesale trade is given by the returns made under the Sales Tax Acts. With certain specified exemptions, all goods sold by wholesale in Australia, including imports, are taxable. The returns do not relate to all wholesale trade, as vendors trading only in exempt goods are not required to furnish returns. They do not necessarily cover a constant proportion of all trade. The effects of legislation and administrative changes on the recorded values of taxable and exempt goods respectively are somewhat uncertain, but total recorded sales are affected in smaller degrees. Insufficient information is available to enable adjustments to be made to the crude figures on this account. The information shown below relates to assessments made in Northern Territory only.

	(\$'000)				
	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Net sales of taxable and exempt goods	13,167	14,418	13,374	17,600	25,104
Taxable sales—					
2½%	148	139	221	324	479
12½%	1,350	1,599	2,179	2,462	3,664
22½% (a)	217	79	..	..	..
25%	108	374	503	470	966
TOTAL TAXABLE SALES ..	1,823	2,192	2,904	3,255	5,108
Sales tax payable	248	315	404	433	711

(a) Ceased to operate from 12 August 1964.

TABLE 83.—BANK DEPOSITS AND ADVANCES: NORTHERN TERRITORY 1964 TO 1968

(\$'000)					
Cheque-paying banks			Savings banks		
Monthly average for June—	Deposits	Advances	At end of June—	Depositors' balances	
1964	9,788	3,438	1964 .. ..	.. .. ..	8,088
1965	11,472	4,090	1965 .. ..	.. .. ..	9,180
1966	13,759	4,814	1966 .. ..	.. .. ..	10,586
1967	15,776	5,122	1967 .. ..	.. .. ..	12,508
1968	17,221	6,470	1968 .. ..	.. .. ..	14,390

TABLE 84.—PUBLIC HOSPITALS(a): NUMBER, ACCOMMODATION, STAFF AND PATIENTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

	30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Number of hospitals	4	4	4	4	4
Accommodation—Number of beds and cots	528	556	550	565	566
Staff—					
Medical officers(b)	24	23	24	25	39
Para-medical officers(c)	17	18	25	18	13
Nurses(d)	238	246	268	253	313
Administration	42	42	53	52	70
Other	229	301	275	254	356
Total staff	550	630	645	602	791
Patients(e)—					
In-patients at beginning of year—					
Males	186	193	180	197	205
Females	195	201	205	178	213
Persons	381	394	385	375	418
Admissions and re-admissions during year—					
Males	4,870	5,227	5,423	5,569	6,175
Females	5,498	5,875	6,287	6,531	6,915
Persons	10,368	11,102	11,710	12,100	13,090
Total in-patients (cases) treated—					
Males	5,056	5,420	5,603	5,766	6,380
Females	5,693	6,076	6,492	6,709	7,128
Persons	10,749	11,496	12,095	12,475	13,508
Discharges—					
Males	4,735	5,068	5,275	5,424	6,038
Females	5,419	5,752	6,195	6,401	6,835
Persons	10,154	10,820	11,470	11,825	12,873
Deaths—					
Males	128	172	131	137	115
Females	73	119	119	95	77
Persons	201	291	250	232	192
In-patients at end of year—					
Males	193	180	197	205	227
Females	201	205	178	213	216
Persons	394	385	375	418	443
Average daily number of patients resident ..	378	388	392	388	398
Out-patients—Number of cases treated(f) ..	117,863	119,423	124,426	122,144	139,355

(a) There are no private hospitals in the Northern Territory. (b) In addition, private practitioners may treat patients in Northern Territory public hospitals. (c) Physiotherapists, occupational therapists, dieticians, radiographers, pharmacists, etc. (d) Qualified and student nurses, assistant nurses, assistant nurse trainees, nursing aides and nursing aide trainees. (e) For the year ended 30 June. (f) In addition, numbers of out-patient cases treated at the Batchelor and Adelaide River clinics in 1964-65, 1965-66, 1966-67 and 1967-68 were 5,824, 6,130, 6,240 and 6,489 respectively. Figures for the Batchelor clinic prior to 1964-65 are not available; the Adelaide River clinic opened in October 1965.

TABLE 85.—PUBLIC HOSPITALS: REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68
(\$'000)

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Revenue—					
Government aid	2,508	2,810	3,668	3,286	3,407
Commonwealth hospital benefits, etc. ..	63	143	96	121	78
Fees	280	303	314	304	391
Total Revenue	2,851	3,256	4,078	3,711	3,876
Expenditure—					
Salaries and wages	1,334	1,529	1,641	1,896	2,246
Upkeep and repair of buildings and grounds ..	291	249	302	338	330
All other ordinary expenditure	700	652	878	906	1,142
Capital	526	(a) 827	(a) 1,257	(a) 571	158
Total Expenditure	2,851	3,256	4,078	3,711	3,876

(a) Major capital works only.

TABLE 86.—INFANT WELFARE CENTRES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963-64 TO 1967-68

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Number of centres or sub-centres ..	15	16	16	(a) 17	19
Number of attendances—					
Darwin	3,974	4,123	3,665	3,449	4,452
R.A.A.F.	813	574	627	983	824
Berrimah	549	368	(b) 98	..	..
Winnellie	(c) 18	..	..	..	..
Stuart Park	1,096	1,055	1,103	803	800
Nightcliff	3,422	1,764	1,334	1,448	1,579
Parap	1,065	666	438	727	584
Parap Shopping Centre .. .. ..	..	417	787	1,131	938
Bagot Reserve	1,337	1,255	937	1,281	1,906
Bagot Sub-division	548	553	652	610	824
Rapid Creek .. .. ..	..	2,576	3,024	4,608	4,626
Alice Springs(d)	2,316	2,554	2,625	2,597	2,815
Tennant Creek	609	670	959	845	864
Katherine	396	943	1,158	(e) 1,845	1,830
Batchelor	139	180	354	268	323
Pine Creek	38	38	74	83	155
Moline	48	70	75	39	9
Umbakumba .. .. ..	..	..	..	493	928
Coonawarra(f) .. .. ..	..	..	..	..	292
Kormilda(g) .. .. ..	..	..	..	..	50
Alyangula(h) .. .. ..	..	..	..	..	133
Total, all attendances ..	16,368	17,806	17,910	(e) 21,210	23,932
Home Visits by Nurses—					
Darwin	6,399	7,513	5,730	6,141	7,783
Alice Springs	450	144	150	146	988
Other centres .. .. ..	..	..	..	36	151
Total, home visits ..	6,849	7,657	5,880	6,323	8,922

(a) Includes one mobile unit operating in the Katherine area. (b) Closed November 1965. (c) Closed July 1963. (d) Gregory Terrace and Ida Standley centres. (e) Includes 18 attendances at mobile unit. (f) Commenced October 1967. (g) Commenced March 1968. (h) Commenced July 1967.

TABLE 87.—SUNDRY HEALTH SERVICES, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963-64 TO 1967-68

Service	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Aerial Medical Service(a)—					
Emergency flights	202	218	207	192	210
Routine flights	257	491	361	397	421
Miles flown	222,274	230,654	273,653	294,330	318,119
Patients carried—					
by Aerial Medical Service	671	898	1,273	1,068	1,075
by charter or commercial service	664	974	1,094	1,975	2,159
Radio medical consultations	4,611	5,358	3,438	4,561	4,824
School Medical Service—					
Number of school and pre-school children examined	2,959	3,151	2,525	2,201	2,098
Dental Services: Number of treatments(b)—					
Darwin Dental Clinic(c)	23,819	17,542	23,504	17,763	18,962
Aerial Mobile (operating from Darwin)	8,795	1,146	13,472	1,519	3,291
Overland Mobile (operating from Darwin)	5,520	7,960	7,963	4,867	2,682
Darwin schools .. .. ..	..	583	7,839	1,735	3,405
Alice Springs (including mobile and schools)	11,543	7,291	11,402	10,735	11,604
Nightcliff Clinic .. .. ..	..	234	6,414	6,039	7,553
Leprosarium, Gaol and Bagot Reserve	(c)	(c)	611	..	..
Total number of dental treatments ..	49,677	34,756	71,205	42,658	47,497
Immunisation (Poliomyelitis)—					
Number of injections given	12,653	11,017	6,962	11,459	2,635
Doses of Sabin vaccine .. ..	..	..	..	8,854	16,943
Commonwealth Health Laboratory—					
Number of tests performed	106,863	177,200	206,030	215,461	273,676
Number of patients(d) .. ..	..	..	..	49,045	57,753
Health Inspection—					
Number of licences issued under public health ordinances	176	178	189	123	203
District Nursing Service—					
Number of visits .. .. ..	..	11,846	17,587	29,126	55,402
Ambulance Services(e)—					
Number of trips	3,177	3,600	3,850	4,192	3,465
Number of patients carried	4,144	5,000	5,359	5,579	4,296
Number of miles travelled	81,284	89,271	99,543	89,013	87,995
Quarantine—					
Vessels boarded and cleared—					
Sea-craft number	61	62	58	97	165
Crew "	3,242	3,407	2,622	3,266	3,703
Passengers "	145	82	131	110	226
Air-craft "	896	958	715	879	1,259
Crew "	7,723	8,467	6,653	7,138	10,912
Passengers "	47,853	64,275	58,396	59,553	89,648

(a) The Aerial Medical Service is provided by the Department of Health and is distinct from, although it co-ordinates with, the Royal Flying Doctor Service which is a non-profit organisation controlled by a federal council comprised of representatives of all States. The Commonwealth Government contributes by way of grants towards the cost of the Flying Doctor Service; the grant for 1967-68 was \$329,371. (b) Including examinations. The number of dental services performed is dependent on the available professional staff. (c) Figures for Darwin Clinic include Leprosarium, Gaol and Bagot Reserve for the years 1963-64 to 1964-65. (d) Where more than one test is carried out for the same patient, he is counted more than once. (e) Operating from: Darwin, Alice Springs, Tennant Creek and Katherine.

TABLE 88.—SCHOOLS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
SCHOOLS					
Government(a)	20	21	23	24	25
Non-government (Roman Catholic)(a) ..	4	4	4	5	5
Total(a)	24	25	27	29	30
Schools for Aboriginal children(b) ..	39	42	50	48	56
ALL SCHOOLS	63	67	77	77	86
TEACHERS					
At government schools(a)—					
Full-time teachers	178	217	244	274	310
Part-time—					
Number	6	4	8	6	3
Equivalent full-time units	n.a.	1	1	1	1
At non-government (Roman Catholic) schools(a)—					
Full-time teachers	20	23	24	27	32
Part-time—					
Number .. ..	..	1	..	1	3
Equivalent full-time units .. ..	..	..	..	..	1
At schools for Aboriginal children(b) ..	106	113	147	150	206
PUPILS					
At government schools(a)	4,899	5,353	5,989	6,744	7,679
At non-government (Roman Catholic) schools (a)	916	914	898	996	1,116
Total	5,815	6,267	6,887	7,740	8,795
At schools for Aboriginal children(b) ..	3,089	3,449	3,794	3,858	4,213
ALL PUPILS	8,904	9,716	10,681	11,598	13,008

(a) At annual census of school children in August. Excludes schools for Aboriginal children. (b) At 30 June. See Table 92 for further details.

TABLE 89.—PUPILS, BY GRADE: SCHOOLS, NORTHERN TERRITORY 1968

Grade, year or form	Government schools			Non-government schools			All schools		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
Primary(a)—									
Kindergarten	155	149	304	..	..	..	155	149	304
Grade I	592	500	1,092	94	105	199	686	605	1,291
Grade II	503	461	964	72	81	153	575	542	1,117
Grade III	459	409	868	73	79	152	532	488	1,020
Grade IV	424	380	804	77	68	145	501	448	949
Grade V	327	362	689	57	52	109	384	414	798
Grade VI	375	334	709	60	66	126	435	400	835
Grade VII	311	300	611	40	46	86	351	346	697
Ungraded(b)	54	26	80	..	..	..	54	26	80
Schools for Aboriginal children(c)—									
	1,348	1,311	2,659	772	782	1,554	2,120	2,093	4,213
Secondary(a)—									
VIII or 1st	287	277	564	42	34	76	329	311	640
IX or 2nd	234	227	461	22	21	43	256	248	504
X or 3rd	173	176	349	14	13	27	187	189	376
XI or 4th	65	49	114	..	..	..	65	49	114
5th	36	9	45	..	..	..	36	9	45
Ungraded (b)	13	12	25	..	..	..	13	12	25
TOTAL . .	5,356	4,982	10,338	1,323	1,347	2,670	6,679	6,329	13,008

(a) Annual census of school children in August.

(b) Occupation and opportunity classes.

(c) At 30 June.

TABLE 90.—SIZE OF SCHOOLS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968(a)

Number of pupils(b)	Government schools			Non-government schools			All schools			
	Essentially primary (c)	Essentially secondary(d)	All other (e)	Essentially primary (c)	Essentially secondary(d)	All other (e)	Essentially primary (c)	Essentially secondary(d)	All other (e)	All schools
Less than 21	1	..	13	..	..	2	1	..	15	16
21 to 35	5	..	15	..	..	1	5	..	16	21
36 to 100	2	..	10	1	..	4	3	..	14	17
101 to 200	..	..	4	1	..	6	1	..	10	11
201 to 300	1	1	4	1	..	..	2	1	4	7
301 to 400	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	2	3
401 to 600	4	..	1	..	..	1	4	..	2	6
601 to 800	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4
801 to 1,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,001 to 1,200	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
TOTAL . .	18	2	48	3	..	15	21	2	63	86

(a) Includes schools for Aboriginal children. (b) Annual census of school children in August. Schools for Aboriginal children as at 30 June. (c) Schools having primary grade pupils only, and schools having pupils ranging over both primary and secondary grades, provided that they have the full range of primary grades, and that they do not go higher than the second secondary grade. (d) Schools having secondary grade pupils only, and schools having pupils ranging over both primary and secondary grades, provided that the range is at least to the third secondary grade and that no more than 20 per cent of total pupils are in primary grades. (e) Schools which have both primary and secondary grade pupils, but excluding (i) schools which have the full range of primary grades and do not go higher than the second secondary grade, and (ii) schools, which go higher than the second secondary grade but have no more than 20 per cent of their pupils in primary grades.

TABLE 91.—PUPILS, BY AGE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1968

Age last birthday (years)	Boys			Girls			Total		
	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968	1966	1967	1968
SCHOOLS (EXCLUDING SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN)(a)									
Under 6 ..	414	444	447	358	395	448	772	839	895
6 ..	425	489	547	361	514	494	786	1,003	1,041
7 ..	386	429	526	369	396	482	755	825	1,008
8 ..	367	419	470	348	391	427	715	810	897
9 ..	363	376	452	307	375	416	670	751	868
10 ..	332	350	394	303	309	416	635	659	810
11 ..	303	339	355	301	323	343	604	662	698
12 ..	254	292	340	272	298	327	526	590	667
13 ..	260	287	341	236	266	312	496	553	653
14 ..	202	246	289	197	209	260	399	455	549
15 ..	144	161	209	120	154	187	264	315	396
16 ..	93	97	118	91	71	90	184	168	208
17 and over ..	47	67	71	34	43	34	81	110	105
TOTAL ..	3,590	3,996	4,559	3,297	3,744	4,236	6,887	7,740	8,795
SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN(b)									
Under 6 ..	181	156	137	190	187	165	371	343	302
6 ..	163	230	219	156	174	232	319	404	451
7 ..	228	223	251	203	203	230	431	426	481
8 ..	204	231	247	197	207	199	401	438	446
9 ..	193	179	228	187	199	214	380	378	442
10 ..	193	194	202	186	195	240	379	389	442
11 ..	177	174	215	192	179	220	369	353	435
12 ..	189	215	191	178	181	171	367	396	362
13 ..	130	168	174	149	156	176	279	324	350
14 ..	130	95	139	133	91	128	263	186	267
15 ..	77	79	83	84	73	96	161	152	179
16 ..	28	31	33	45	34	22	73	65	55
17 and over ..	..	..	4	1	1	..	..	1	4
TOTAL ..	1,893	1,979	2,120	1,901	1,879	2,093	3,794	3,858	4,213
ALL SCHOOLS									
Under 6 ..	595	600	584	548	582	613	1,143	1,182	1,197
6 ..	588	719	766	517	688	726	1,105	1,407	1,492
7 ..	614	652	777	572	599	712	1,186	1,251	1,489
8 ..	571	650	717	545	598	626	1,116	1,248	1,343
9 ..	556	555	680	494	574	630	1,050	1,129	1,310
10 ..	525	544	596	489	504	656	1,014	1,048	1,252
11 ..	480	513	570	493	502	563	973	1,015	1,133
12 ..	443	507	531	450	479	498	893	986	1,029
13 ..	390	455	515	385	422	488	775	877	1,003
14 ..	332	341	428	330	300	388	662	641	816
15 ..	221	240	292	204	227	283	425	467	575
16 ..	121	128	151	136	105	112	257	233	263
17 and over ..	47	71	72	35	43	34	82	114	106
TOTAL ..	5,483	5,975	6,679	5,198	5,623	6,329	10,681	11,598	13,008

(a) At annual census of school children in August.

(b) At 30 June. See also Tables 92-3.

TABLE 92.—SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

		30 June—				
		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
SCHOOLS						
Government schools—						
At settlements .. ..	..	13	12	13	15	17
On pastoral properties .. ..	..	6	6	15	13	19
On missions .. ..	..	1	2	5	6	5
Other .. ..	..	1	2	5	6	2(a)
Total government schools ..	..	20	20	33	34	43
Subsidised schools—						
Mission .. ..	..	14	17	12	10	10
On pastoral properties .. ..	..	5	5	5	4	3
Total subsidised schools ..	..	19	22	17	14	13
ALL SCHOOLS .. ..	..	39	42	50	48	56
TEACHERS						
At government schools—						
At settlements .. ..	..	56	55	73	73	100
On pastoral properties .. ..	..	5	7	15	13	19
On missions .. ..	..	2	2	8	19	31
Other .. ..	..	2	2	8	19	10(a)
Total government schools ..	..	63	64	96	105	160
At subsidised schools—						
Mission .. ..	..	38	44	46	41	43
On pastoral properties .. ..	..	5	5	5	4	3
Total subsidised schools ..	..	43	49	51	45	46
ALL SCHOOLS .. ..	..	106	113	147	150	206
PUPILS						
At government schools—						
At settlements .. ..	..	1,342	1,354	1,503	1,653	1,633
On pastoral properties .. ..	..	180	159	361	293	381
On missions .. ..	..	44	77	454	509	547
Other .. ..	..	44	77	454	509	98(a)
Total government schools ..	..	1,566	1,590	2,318	2,455	2,659
At subsidised schools—						
Mission .. ..	..	1,427	1,778	1,392	1,337	1,496
On pastoral properties .. ..	..	96	81	84	66	58
Total subsidised schools ..	..	1,523	1,859	1,476	1,403	1,554
ALL SCHOOLS .. ..	..	3,089	3,449	3,794	3,858	4,213

(a) East Arm School, which is administered by the Department of Health, and Kormilda College, Darwin, a transitional school opened in 1968.

TABLE 93.—SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN: PUPILS, BY AGE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968

Age last birthday	Government schools at settlements		Government schools on pastoral properties, missions, etc.(a)		Subsidised schools on pastoral properties		Mission schools		Totals	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Under 6 ..	48	53	31	51	1	7	57	54	137	165
6 ..	84	101	55	47	5	4	75	80	219	232
7 ..	100	102	56	50	4	2	91	76	251	230
8 ..	101	74	60	55	2	2	84	68	247	199
9 ..	96	98	40	50	5	2	87	64	228	214
10 ..	78	90	46	46	1	4	77	100	202	240
11 ..	92	93	50	48	7	5	66	74	215	220
12 ..	73	53	49	47	1	..	68	71	191	171
13 ..	61	67	50	45	3	2	60	62	174	176
14 ..	52	34	43	37	..	..	44	57	139	128
15 ..	30	25	25	28	1	..	27	43	83	96
16 ..	18	10	9	7	..	..	6	5	33	22
17 and over ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
TOTAL	833	800	515	511	30	28	742	754	2,120	2,093

(a) For separate details, see Table 92

TABLE 94.—ADULT EDUCATION CENTRES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1963 TO 1967

		1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
Number of centres(a) ..	..	2	2	2	2	2
Number of classes held(b) ..	..	88	93	120	135	218
Enrolments(c)—						
Number of Apprentices—						
Males .. .. ..	..	71	61	59	78	102
Females .. .. ..	..	6	9	7	9	12
Diploma and certificate subject enrolments—						
Males .. .. ..	..	94	98	89	57	182
Females .. .. ..	..	10	13	22	12	42
Adult education subject enrolments—						
Males .. .. ..	..	857	915	1,038	1,052	1,357
Females .. .. ..	..	856	801	1,337	1,117	1,770
Number of individual students—						
Males .. .. ..	..	759	748	983	1,032	993
Females .. .. ..	..	644	625	1,003	930	1,314
Teachers—						
Full-time .. .. ..	..	1	1	1	1	6
Part-time .. .. ..	..	66	72	100	112	153

(a) There is a centre at Darwin and one at Alice Springs. (b) Courses of less than one term's duration are generally excluded. (c) Students enrolled for apprenticeship, certificate and diploma courses in the Northern Territory take correspondence courses in the States. However, many attend the adult education centres for additional class instruction. Figures for apprentices are the number of students pursuing courses in any year. Diploma, certificate and adult education figures are the sum totals of enrolments in each subject.

TABLE 95.—PRE-SCHOOL CENTRES(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1964-65 TO 1967-68

Centre	1964-65		1965-66		1966-67		1967-68	
	Teachers at 30 June	Average daily attend- ance						
Darwin—								
Darwin City ..	2	50	2	45	2	48	2	40
Stuart Park ..	2	45	2	42	2	42	2	43
Parap ..	4	79	4	85	4	88	4	85
Maranga ..	2	40	2	41	2	44	2	41
Nightcliff ..	2	48	2	53	2	54	2	46
R.A.A.F. Base ..	2	39	2	48	3	46	4	79
Rapid Creek(b) ..	..	..	..	..	4	85	4	86
Larrakeyah(c) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	24
Total, Darwin ..	14	301	14	314	19	407	22	444
Alice Springs—								
Ida Standley ..	2	43	2	46	2	38	2	31
Nathalie Gorey ..	2	58	2	56	2	52	2	57
Church of the Ascension ..	1	19	1	15	..	..	..	..
Rona Glynn ..	..	..	2	43	2	45	2	45
Total, Alice Springs ..	5	120	7	160	6	135	6	133
Tennant Creek(d) ..	2	33	2	40	2	43	2	41
Batchelor ..	2	28	2	18	2	18	2	16
Katherine ..	2	23	2	35	2	46	2	52
GRAND TOTAL ..	25	505	27	567	31	649	34	686

(a) In addition, at 30 June 1968 there were 523 Aboriginal children (247 boys and 276 girls) at pre-school centres established on Welfare Branch settlements and mission stations in conjunction with schools for Aboriginal children.

(b) Commenced in 1966-67. (c) Commenced February 1968. (d) There is also a company-run pre-school centre at Peko Mine with one teacher and daily attendance of about 15.

TABLE 96.—PUBLIC LIBRARIES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1964 TO 1968

Centre	Number of volumes at 30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Darwin	27,625	28,788	24,035	25,234	27,430
Nightcliff .. .. ..	..	2,408	3,829	5,015	6,860
Alice Springs	16,350	16,058	16,298	16,431	17,348
Tennant Creek	4,296	4,369	4,405	4,892	5,438
Katherine	3,469	3,622	3,804	4,220	4,674
TOTAL	51,740	55,245	52,371	55,792	61,750

TABLE 97.—COMMONWEALTH AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Number of pensioners at 30 June—					
Age	1,255	1,253	1,326	1,348	1,327
Invalid	397	404	408	454	466
Total	1,652	1,657	1,734	1,802	1,793
Average weekly pension at 30 June(a)—					
Age	11.19	11.69	11.72	12.80	12.84
Invalid	11.41	12.04	12.05	13.48	13.64
Amount paid during year ended 30 June	948,012	1,009,178	1,102,133	1,238,864	1,335,712

(a) Including supplementary assistance.

TABLE 98.—UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Admissions to benefit during year—					
Unemployment—					
Males	104	57	41	258	219
Females	28	76	40	80	70
Persons	132	133	81	338	289
Sickness—					
Males	113	108	169	162	233
Females	27	38	58	51	54
Persons	140	146	227	213	287
Special—					
Males	11	3	3	7	23
Females	2	..	..	..	5
Persons	13	3	3	7	28
Number on benefit at 30 June—					
Unemployment—					
Males	4	4	2	..	16
Females	2	2	3	1	4
Persons	6	6	5	1	20
Sickness—					
Males	12	15	22	14	16
Females	2	6	3	5	9
Persons	14	21	25	19	25
Special—					
Males	5	1	1	3	9
Females	1	..	..	..	6
Persons	6	1	1	3	15
Benefits paid—					
Unemployment \$	3,852	2,572	2,920	13,734	19,434
Sickness \$	12,394	12,178	19,587	20,284	21,778
Special \$	1,982	1,510	182	673	1,150
Total \$	18,228	16,260	22,689	34,691	42,362

TABLE 99.—COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Number of claims paid	1,663	1,661	1,731	1,955	1,985
Amount paid \$	53,576	53,408	55,102	62,310	63,773

TABLE 100.—COMMONWEALTH CHILD ENDOWMENT: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

	30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Endowed families—					
With children under 16 years ..	..	No.	5,991	6,303	6,835
With student children, 16 to 21 years(a)	No.		177	259	265
					287
					340
Endowed children in family groups—					
Under 16 years ..	..	No.	13,766	14,440	15,612
Student children, 16 to 21 years(a)	..	No.	184	275	299
					311
					367
Institutions—					
Approved institutions ..	..	No.	35	39	38
Endowed children under 16 years ..	..	No.	5,368	5,780	5,817
Endowed student children(a) ..	..	No.	..	33	14
					17
					21
Total endowed children and students ..	..	No.	19,318	20,528	21,742
Amount paid during year ended 30 June(b)	\$'000		838	1,005	1,057
					1,225
					1,209

(a) The Commonwealth commenced paying endowment for student children aged 16 to 21 years from 14 January 1964. (b) Includes amounts paid to institutions.

TABLE 101.—COMMONWEALTH WIDOWS' PENSIONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Number of pensioners at 30 June ..	165	182	202	221	239
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Average weekly pension at 30 June(a)	14.30	14.99	15.09	16.52	16.46
Amount paid during year ended 30 June	110,258	132,538	159,291	190,585	217,212

(a) Including supplementary assistance.

TABLE 102.—POLICE STRENGTH: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1964 TO 1968

Ranks	30 June 1968				
	General duties	Criminal investigation, plain clothes police and scientific sections	Traffic police	Other special duties	Total
Executive officers (including super-intendents)	2	..	..	..	2
Inspectors	1	..	..	1	2
Sergeants	13	8	1	7	29
Constables	72	(a) 18	8	23	(a) 121
Total, 1968	88	(a) 26	9	31	(a) 154
1967	94	30	9	18	151
1966	104	33	11	9	157
1965	107	32	11	5	155
1964	104	32	8	5	149

(a) Includes 2 policewomen. (b) In addition, in 1968 there were 33 full-time trackers, 18 cadets and 16 full-time civilian staff, comprising 14 clerks and 2 typists.

TABLE 103.—PRISONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968
(Number)

	30 June—				
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Prisons	2	2	2	2	2
Convicted prisoners in gaol	(a) 49	(a)(b) 62	(a) 52	112	120
Unconvicted prisoners in gaol	(a) 2	(a)(b) 5	..	4	15
Aborigines in gaol	25	(b) 67	55	68	51

(a) Excludes Aborigines. (b) At 16 January 1966.

TABLE 104.—MAGISTRATES' AND JUDGES' COURTS: CASES TRIED AND CONVICTIONS, BY CLASS OF OFFENCE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963 TO 1967

		1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
CASES DEALT WITH AT LOWER COURTS(a)						
Cases tried—						
Against the person		241	295	259	298	305
Against property		467	218	463	468	745
Forgery and offences against the currency		65	123	149	81	44
Against good order		3,179	4,200	4,786	4,939	6,406
Other		1,934	1,745	1,862	2,175	2,836
Total cases tried		5,886	6,581	7,519	7,961	10,336
Convictions—						
Against the person		203	233	199	217	224
Against property		338	149	342	360	582
Forgery and offences against the currency		50	87	86	70	12
Against good order		3,096	4,107	4,731	4,874	6,194
Other		1,816	1,590	1,668	1,881	2,425
Total convictions		5,503	6,166	7,026	7,402	9,437
Commitmatts to higher court—						
Against the person		18	17	36	43	44
Against property		76	29	68	57	93
Forgery and offences against the currency		12	15	61	4	29
Against good order		1	2	..	1	..
Other .. .. ..		..	2	4	22	10
Total committals		107	65	169	127	176

CIVIL CASES AT LOWER COURTS

Number of plaints entered	2,872	2,452	1,566	2,799	3,142
Amounts awarded to plaintiffs .. \$'000	80	77	76	133	179

PERSONS CONVICTED AT SUPERIOR (JUDGES') COURTS

Against the person	14	17	17	18	23
Against property	39	20	51	39	37
Forgery and offences against the currency	2	3	4	1	4
Against good order	1	..	4	..	1
Other .. .. ..	..	1	..	..	..
Total persons convicted	56	41	76	58	65

(a) Relates only to magistrates' courts at Darwin and Alice Springs. This series of figures is under review.

TABLE 105.—DIVORCE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Petitions for dissolution of marriage(a)	53	61	46	55	59
Dissolutions granted(a)—					
Husband petitioner	15	26	28	11	14
Wife petitioner	16	15	30	9	9
Grounds on which granted—					
Desertion	11	12	27	9	7
Adultery	8	18	11	5	5
Separation	5	4	13	2	4
Cruelty	2	3	2	..	1
Other(b)	5	4	5	4	6
Total dissolutions granted ..	31	41	58	20	23

(a) There were no petitions or decrees granted, for nullity of marriage or judicial separation in any of the above years. (b) Includes multiple grounds, e.g. desertion and cruelty.

TABLE 106.—CALLS, FIRE DISTRICTS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967-68

Period	Darwin	Nightcliff	Katherine	Tennant Creek	Alice Springs	Total
July	39	8	18	1	10	76
August	40	10	14	1	16	81
September	38	14	9	9	8	78
October	50	12	14	2	9	87
November	35	10	2	9	4	60
December	28	5	4	3	8	48
January	14	12	1	8	9	44
February	18	10	..	2	5	35
March	16	8	2	1	7	34
April	24	6	12	..	11	53
May	25	11	4	2	2	44
June	34	16	8	..	5	63
YEAR 1967-68 ..	361	122	88	38	94	(a) 703

(a) Includes twenty-five non-fire calls.

NOTE. The information in Tables 106-8 has been supplied by the Northern Territory Fire Service. Two persons were killed and three persons were injured in fires in the Northern Territory during 1967-68.

TABLE 107.—FIRE CALLS, BY CAUSE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967-68

Light thrown down	..	..	234	Spontaneous combustion	..	..	5
Electrical defect	..	..	23	Chimneys and ducts	..	..	2
Burning rubbish	..	..	43	Children playing with matches	..	..	14
Deliberate burning (out of control)	..	20		Children playing with fireworks	..	..	12
Overflow or leakage of liquid fuel	..	25		False alarm, malicious	..	..	30
Cutting and welding	..	..	7	False alarm, good intent	..	..	21
Vehicle accident	..	..	16	False alarm, defective system	..	..	196
Mechanical defect	..	..	7	Cause unknown	..	..	5
Heating appliance	..	..	6	Other	..	..	12
				TOTAL	..	..	678

TABLE 108.—FIRE CALLS, BY TYPE OF PROPERTY INVOLVED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967-68

Office buildings	..	..	6	Fuel installations	..	..	2
Institutions	..	..	10	Enclosed land	..	..	154
Places of public entertainment	..	..	3	Open grassland and bush	..	..	118
Private dwelling houses, hotels, motels etc.	22			Vehicles and aircraft	..	..	48
Warehouses and industrial property	35			Rubbish	..	..	6
Wharf and dock installations, shipping and marine craft	14	Public utilities	8
Building construction sites	5	False alarms	247
				TOTAL	678

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